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Football team wins district title

by Caleb Casey Senior Staff Writer

The Vikings of Grayling High School won their first football district championship in school history with a 35-18 victory over the Kingsford Flivvers at GHS last Friday.

Grayling led 21-18 going into the fourth quarter of Friday night's district title game. The Vikings intercepted three Flivver passes in the fourth period and outscored Kingsford 14-0 in the final 12 minutes to seal the win. One turnover – an interception by Eli VanNuck – led to a 7-yard touchdown pass from Jeff Bancroft to Reagan Schmidt, and Bancroft returned a different interception for a TD with 3:58 left in the contest. Joey Bancroft finished the game with 185 rushing yards on 36 carries with three touchdowns.

The Vikings posted a 6-3 record in the 2005 regular season — losing only to three 8-1 teams — and defeated the Alma Panthers 14-6 in pre-districts to advance to last week's Division 4 Region 1 District 1 championship match vs. Kingsford. Grayling is now one of eight teams left in the Division 4 Michigan High School Athletic Association playoffs.

"No one thought that this team would be where it is now. We were 4-3 at one point. We finished third in the conference Continued on Page 13A

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Photo by Caleb Casey

Ben Brock, head football coach at GHS, hoists Grayling's district championship trophy during the team's postgame celebration last Friday at Viking Stadium.

Veterans Day programs slated

The Grayling High School will open its doors to local veterans on Friday.

The Grayling High School will hold its annual Veterans Day program starting at 9 a.m., on Friday in the high school auditorium. A reception where veterans can gather and mingle will be held before the program starts at 8:15 a.m. in the cafeteria.

Veteran Ron Larson and Brian Farrall, a member of the 1438th Engineer Detachment which served a tour of duty in Iraq, will be guest speakers at the program.

This year's program will have a special focus on members of the armed forces who are currently serving the country, said Amanda Lutz, governor of the Grayling High School's Student Senate.

The members of the Grayling VFW Post #3736 will hold their Veterans Day program at the American Legion Hall at 11 a.m. Friday. A representative from the Veteran's Administration will be on hand to give an overview of benefits which are available to veterans, said Bill Borchers, the commander for the VFW Post #3736.

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Toys for Tots to launch campaign

by Dan Sanderson Staff Writer

For the second year in a row, the Crawford County Toys for Tots program has received grant funds to help jump start its annual holiday campaign.

The Toys "R" Us Children's Fund, Inc., which has teamed up with the United States Marine Corps Toys for Tots Foundation, has given the Crawford County Toys for Tots Program a \$3,000 grant to help purchase toys for children in the county

children in the county.

Marian Gosnell, coordinator for the Crawford County Toys for Tots, said that the grant will allow volunteers to purchase toys that the program may be short on which are high in demand, and will also let her purchase more pricey toys for whilden in the county.

children in the county.

"It's tremendous help,"

Gosnell said.

In its eighth year, the Crawford County Toys for Tots program gives toys to over 800 Continued on Page 3A

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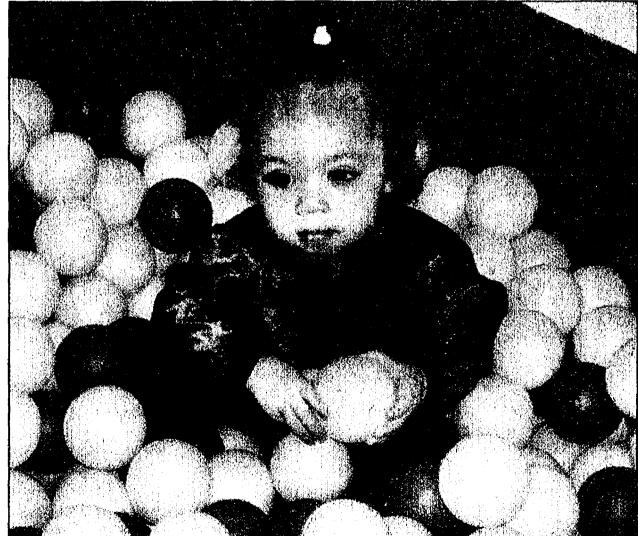


Photo by Dan Sanderson

The Crawford County Great Start Play Group meets every Friday at the AuSable Primary School, which allows children up to 5-years-old to take part in hands on activities and social activities. The play group meets from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. The play group is funded through grants from Headstart at the Crawford Ogemaw Oscoda Roscommon Intermediate School District. Above, Emmalee Beck, 1, of Grayling plays in the ball pit at the school.

Buck pole event to help kick off firearm deer season

Hunters will have the opportunity to compete for eash and prizes on the first two days of firearm deer hunting season—Tuesday, November 15, and Wednesday, November 16 – during this year's Orangecoat Round-up event at Skip's Sport Shop next week.

Hunters must have an Orangecoat Round-up button to compete in the buck pole event. Buttons can be purchased at Skip's Sport Shop for \$2.

The hunter whose buck has the largest rack over the course of the two-day competition will win a scoped rifle.

vin a scoped rifle. "It sho Daily prizes for the two-day she said.

event will be awarded in the following categories: first buck, heaviest buck, first woman hunter, youngest hunter, oldest hunter, and first 10 bucks. Daily winners in these categories will receive their choice of \$25 cash

or a \$50 savings bond.

Also, all bucks after number 10 until the pole closes will net a \$10 cash prize for the hunter.

Missy Millikin of Skip's Sport Shop said bow season "was really good the first week. Lately, it's been going good again. The rut is going – bucks chasing the does."

"It should be a good opener," she said.

Grayling City election results

Grayling City voters elected two members to the city council Tuesday.

Tom Wellman received 124 votes, and incumbent Roger Moshier received 103 votes, winning the two four-year seats on the city council. Dan Bonamie II, trailed with 73 votes.

A total of 184 voters, about 12 percent of the registered voters in the city, cast ballots in Tuesday's election, said Grayling City Clerk Michele Moshier.

Council Member Dennis Palmer, who served on the city council for three years, opted not to run for re-election.

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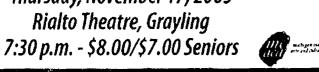
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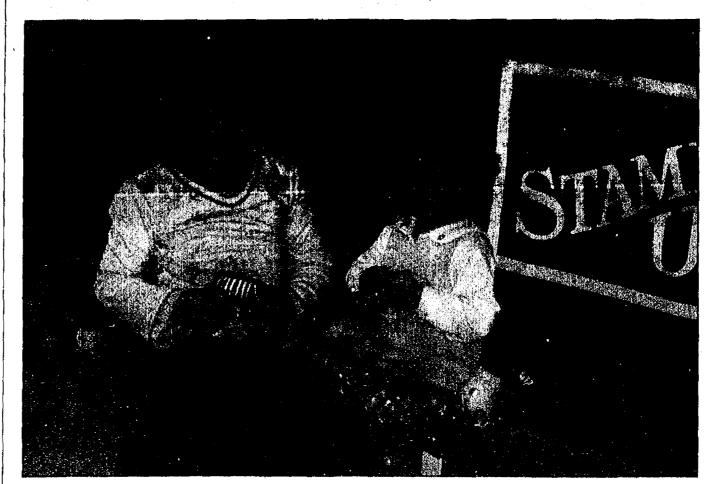


Photo by Dan Sanderson The fourth annual Home Shopper's Showcase held at the Michelson Memorial **United Methodist** Church on Saturday gave area residents a chance to get a jump on their holiday shopping. Above, Samantha Dannenberg, 7, and Jasmine Dannenberg, 2, of Grayling check out some of the toys on sale from Discovery

Veterinarian charged for drug theft

by Dan Sanderson Staff Writer

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A veterinarian who worked at "the Grayling Hospital for Animals for a couple of months who is accused of taking pain

month to face felony charges. Brain James Dawson II was arraigned on Wednesday, Nov. 2 in Crawford County District Court for two counts of larceny in a building. Dawson faces up

to four years in prison and a \$5,000 fine if convicted.

Friday, Oct. 21.

Detectives began investigating Dawson after Dr. Paul Mesack, the owner of the drugs used to treat sick animals Grayling Hospital for Animals, will be back in court later this observed that the injectable narcotics used as pain killers for the animal patients were not working properly, raising the possibility that someone was tampering with the supply of controlled substances.

After Mesack contacted STING investigators, evidence Detectives from the Strike was seized from the veterinary Investigative Narcotics Group office and submitted to the Dawson remains free on a (STING) arrested Dawson on Michigan State Police Grayling personal recognizance bond.

Crime Lab for analysis.

Toys.

Mesack said Dawson started working at the Grayling Hospital for Animals on Aug. 1. Camarin Talarico, a magistrate for the 46th Trial Court,

scheduled a preliminary exam for Dawson for Tuesday, Nov. 29, when prosecutors will have to present evidence to determine if the former Grayling animal doctor will face a trial for the felony charges. Traverse City attorney Paul Jarboe is repre-

senting Dawson.

Detour in place on Maple Street

will remain in place throughout the week. The bridge on Maple Street will be closed for at least one week while contractors complete work on

A detour on Maple Street in the City of Grayling director of Grayling's Department of Public Works. Motorist are encouraged to seek alternative routes while the work is being completed, and city officials applicate for the inconvenience the deliver the city's water system; said Chad Beckett; the may cause: 11 10 10 10 11

It's National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week!



The Humane Society of the United States has proclaimed November 6-12 as "National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week." Each year, about 500 dogs and cats, puppies and kittens, come to the Animal Shelter of Crawford County needing a second chance for a lifelong, loving home. While they wait, shelter staff and volunteers provide loving care for them all. Help us celebrate this special week by adopting one of these wonderful pets!

All of the pets featured are spayed/neutered and up to date on their vaccinations. Adoption fees are \$75 for cats; \$125 - \$150 for dogs and include one month free pet healthcare insurance.

There are many animals up for adoption, so please stop by the shelter to meet them or view them online at www.ascc.petfinder.com and open your heart to a new friend! When visiting the shelter, be sure to say "Thank You" to those who have dedicated their lives to the mission of caring for and finding new homes for the homeless animals in our county.



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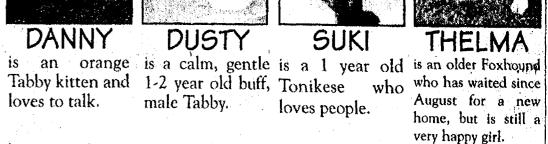
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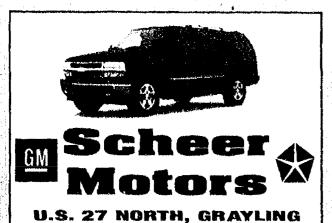


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Legion Post supports military family





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The men and women from Grayling's American Legion Post #106 and Legion Auxiliary raised about \$1,500 through a spaghetti dinner held last week for Lisa and George Masella whose home, located at 404 Ionia St., was destroyed by an accidental fire on Sept. 30. Proceeds from the dinner will be matched by funds raised through the American Legion's weekly bingo contests, so the Masellas will receive about \$3,000

were able to escape the blaze, and are staying in temporary housing while their home is being rebuilt. Above left, Ann Hamlin, a junior member of the Legion Auxiliary, and Donna Malinowksi, president of the Legion Auxiliary, serve up a plate of spaghetti. Above, right Tyler Rock, 3, of Grayling enjoys his spaghetti dinner.

to help recover from the fire. George Masella is a mechanic for the 1071st Maintenance Company, which is currently serving in Iraq. Lisa and the couple's three children, Domanik, 3, Kaelee, 2, and 2-month-old Antonio,

Toys for Tots to launch campaign

Continued from Page 1A children in the county.

Unlike other areas, the generosity of the community allows the program to give four to five toys to children when only one toy and one stocking stuffer is recommended under national Toys for Tots guidelines, Gosnell said. The program also allows volunteers to give toys from infant children through high school students.

Families who are in need or have difficulty paying bills can sign up to take part in the Toys for Tots program at the Christian Help Center. The only requirement to benefit from the program is the family must reside within Crawford County.

"We want them to pay their bills and come to us to help with Christmas," Gosnell said. "If they feel they are need, they may come to us."

Despite the help of the grant,

volunteers still encourage residents to donate new, un-wrapped toys to Toys for Tots.

anyone donating because we still need their help, Gosnell

Toys for Tots collection boxes will be in area businesses starting on Nov. 14.

Drop off sites include: Curves for Women, Bloomin' Grape Gourmet Deli and Market, Chemical Bank, Huntington Bank, Northland Area Federal Credit Union, Glen's Market, Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce, the AAA office in the Grayling Mini Mall, Goodale's Bakery, Icehouse Quilt Shop, the Crawford County Sheriff's Department, Dollar General, Dr. Denholm's Chiropractic Clinic, J. Dap Company, Citizen's Bank and North Central Area Credit

In addition, Crawford County Toys for Tots will have the program's train logos for sale in "We don't want this to detract area bars and restaurants in December, where people can make donations and have their contributions recognized.

"We have a very generous community, and without their support, we would never be able to brighten the holidays for hundreds of children in the county," Gosnell said.

In Roscommon County, Don Nester Chevrolet Oldsmobile is serving as a drop-off site for the Toys for Tots program.

Maj. Bill Hendricks, United States Marine Corps Reserve, founded Toys for Tots in Los Angles, Ca. in 1947 and collected 5,000 toys during the initial Christmas campaign. A year later, the United States Marine Corps adopted Toys for Tots as a nation wide community action

Walt Disney designed the now famous Toys for Tots train logo, and created the first national Toys for Tots posters. Over the years, the posters have become a recognized part of the national program, and have featured such notable characters as Mickey Mouse, Donald Duck, Dennis the Menace, Bugs Bunny and the Road Runner.

The Toys for Tots Foundation was created in 1989 to supplement toys donated by businesses and individuals and to allow program volunteers to plan and allocate their resources.

In 2004, the Toys for Tots campaign was conducted in 481 communities covering all 50 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico - the most extensive coverage for the program to date and Marines and Toys for Tots volunteers distributed more than 19 million toys to 7.5 million needy children.

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Commissioners contract with engineering firm

by Dan Sanderson Staff Writer

Crawford County Commissioners last week hired an engineering firm to put together cost estimates on potential upgrades and expansions which may take place at the county building.

The county commissioners hired the Northwest Design Group of Petoskey to complete a conceptual design study for the future of the county building for \$27,900.

The first task the engineers will be charged with will be to determine how the county building can be made accessible to meet with the American with Disability Act (ADA) codes.

Engineers will also be asked to determine the efficiency of the building heating and cooling systems, where possible building expansions could be made on the property, where parking spaces could be created and how many employees and county departments could be housed in the building.

Earlier this year, a committee formed to explore the potential relocation of the county building and determined the county facilities should remain in the current

The committee was formed after Bill Gannon, the owner of

Gannon Broadcasting, expressed interest in acquiring the four acres the county building and jail are located on to develop the land in conjunction with the former Bear Archery property.

Officials are still considering plans to move county facilities which would allow for the expansion of Michigan Avenue, expanding Grayling's downtown area into the Bear Archery property and creating a new path for traffic in the community.

Engineers are expected to have a preliminary draft on possible upgrades to the county building by the end of the year.

Dave Stephenson, chairman of the county board, said officials will then determine if the upgrades will be done in phases or if financing will be sought for one huge project.

"It's really hard to make those decisions until we get the information on what it's going to cost so that's what we're after," Stephenson said.

Neal Michael, chairman of the county building authority, said the county at least needs a plan in place to defend itself against lawsuits since the building is not ADA compliant.

In January, 2003, the county was awarded a \$300,000, United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Rural Development

Veterans Day programs slated

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Veterans Day traditionally is observed at 11 a.m. on Nov. 11, the eleventh hour of the eleventh month, to mark the cease fire

which ended World War I. In 1938, President Woodrow Wilson made Veterans Day a legal holiday to honor all

American Veterans of all wars.

loan to install an elevator, renovate rest rooms and create a handicapped accessible entrance for the county building so the facility complied with ADA guidelines.

Gannon made his offer to buy the county property just as the building authority was about to hire a contractor for the county building facelift, so officials decided not to tap the USDA

County Commissioner Terry Beardslee recommended engineers complete studies on soil conditions on the county proper-

"We should probably know what we are trying to build on before we spend money to go any further," Beardslee said.

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ALMANACK

by Richard L. Milliman

Sadly, Veterans Day is growing in significance

(Author's Note: I put together this essay on Veterans Day a couple of years ago, and in light of the continuing warfare in Iraq and Afghanistan, it seems even more appropriate this year.)

THE HISTORY OF Veterans Day has evolved with world events.

Back in 1919, Armistice Day was established to hail the end of the bloody war which had enveloped much of Europe from 1914-1918 and to honor American soldiers and sailors who had died in the hostilities.

At the time, that war was known as "The War to End All Wars." In ensuing years, to Americans it became "The World War."

Not until another worldwide war erupted in 1939-45 did it become necessary to attach Roman numerals to our World Wars.

The World War I armistice was timed deliberately to be formalized at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month.

The first Armistice Day on the first anniversary of the actual armistice was to be observed in the United States with a suspension of all activity throughout the country for a two minute period on November 11, 1919, at precisely 11 a.m.

That first observance of world peace also was marked by parades, public meetings, and speeches.

PRESIDENT WOODROW Wilson proclaimed the first Armistice Day with these words:

"To us in America, the reflections of Armistice Day will be filled with solemn pride in the heroism of those who died in the country's service and with gratitude for the victory, both because of the thing from which it has freed us and because of the opportunity it has given America to show her sympathy with peace and justice in the councils of the nations."

In 1920, President Wilson added a religious element when he designated

the Sunday nearest Armistice Day for church services to be held in the interest of international peace.

In 1921, Congress established the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington National Cemetery, and the third Armistice Day on November 11, 1921 was set for the entombment ceremony. Congress in 1921 also established Armistice Day as a federal holiday.

UNFORTUNATELY, "The War to End All Wars" did not end all wars. World War II produced even more military heroism and deaths, along with great floods of new veterans who served their country.

In 1954, Congress changed the name of Armistice Day to Veterans Day, to recognize veterans of both World Wars in our national remembrances.

But World War II did not end all wars, either, and America has continued to send its young men and young women

into battle in numerous foreign lands. Whether these military actions are designated officially as "wars" is beside the point; heroic young men and women continue to serve their country, and far too many are killed in battle.

The interim between American involvements in wars seems to be shrinking. American troops have been sent to foreign hot spots somewhere in the world almost constantly.

Sadly the significance of a special day to recognize the sacrifices and heroism of American service men and women grows each year.

IT WASN'T SUPPOSED to be this way, and the prospects for eternal and universal peace throughout the world are not nearly as bright today as they may have seemed in 1918.

It is good to recall the message of President Dwight Eisenhower when Armistice Day was broadened to

become Veterans Day in 1954:

"On that day, let us solemnly remember the sacrifices of all those who fought so valiantly, on the seas, in the air, and on foreign shores, to preserve our heritage of freedom."

I would add this humble vision:

Let us hope and pray that the number of new American service veterans in the future will diminish rather than increase, and that our national day to honor those who have served their country by bearing military arms will stop growing in significance.

Only lasting international peace, based on human dignity and equal justice, will fulfill such a vision. That should be America's consistent goal.

Richard Milliman is a veteran newspaperman, and a contributing columnist to several Michigan newspapers.

VIEWPOINT

by Crawford County Sheriff Kirk Wakefield

Crime Prevention

As Sheriff of Crawford through educational programs County, I would like to discuss an issue very close to each of us. crime prevention. My office is committed to making our neighdoing so, we will improve the quality of life for individuals and families, both young and old. It is imperative that we seek progress to reduce the negative influences that crime has on our children, and to help safeguard the elderly.

In the past year, this office has worked extremely hard, making significant improvements in our county. Through communitybased programs and an emphasis on professionalism, we hope to reduce the number of gun-related crimes, thefts, incidents of domestic violence and other disturbances.

An example of our plans and objectives include:

Provide officers with the resources necessary to improve preparedness and response capabilities.

Promote the importance of Neighborhood Watch programs.

Continue our initiatives in specialized technical training and the latest crime prevention measures.

Protection of our senior citizens from acts of violence, neglect and fraud.

Increased drug awareness with our objectives.

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and services that will give individuals a fighting chance to lead more productive lives.

both bods safer places to live: (By) tof spousal and child abuse by further developing opportunities for law enforcement to work more closely with shelter nd local organizations to provide counseling and support. Maintain our goal to improve

> our correctional facilities, incorporating the latest security measures for the purpose of removing more criminals from the

Integrate special rehabilitation programs that aim to help criminals by preparing them to become productive members of society.

Implement productive activities that help children by redirecting then from illegal activity. This can be accomplished by providing relevant and enjoyable programs to occupy their time and attention. These are the type of efforts that can provide positive influences and enable our youth to become responsible citi-

I personally want to thank all of you for supporting the Crawford County Sheriff's Office and for the support of these initiatives, those in place now as well as those in keeping

In addition, I would like to share another unique initiative with you, the Michigan Sheriff's Association Educational Services We hope to see fewer incidents Associate Membership Program, supported by citizens committed to making our communities a safer place to live.

> This important program enables citizens to make a real difference toward the aforementioned objectives. The Associate Membership Program is based on the premise that citizens and law enforcement officers can collaborate to have a direct impact in our communities. Through membership, citizens can help in a very practical way.

> I invite businesses and individuals alike to support our efforts becoming members. Through your participation in this program, we can continue to provide the resources necessary to make a difference.

> Anyone interested in knowing more about this very important program may call: (517) 485-3135 or write to: 515 North Capitol Avenue, Lansing, MI 48933 or visit them online, www.michigansheriff.com. Their office will be glad to mail additional information to interested parties.

> I strongly urge the residents for Crawford County to consider participating in this honorable program, not only for its monetary support of law enforcement, but for the moral support that unites us in building a safer community.

The Veteran

To the editor,

The Veteran If you want to be a Veteran a few things are a must, the first thing he remembers is getting off the bus.

He went to basic training and then to A.I.T., he's going to be a Veteran just you wait and see.

He served his stint, here at home and then went overseas, he served his time with honor being all that he could be.

The first six years went rather well the next six years went fast, Fourteen years six months three days it was just too good to last.

with three kids of his own, there's orders here for overseas this time he'll go alone. He's on his way to fight the

war he's all that he can be, he's going to be a veteran just you wait and see.

He served his time in battle and then they sent him home, twenty years have passed him by and not one single groan.

Now he has retired but his spirit marches on, clear across the country the oceans and beyond.

He has become that Veteran we By now he had been married borog him today, we bonor fail the Veterans that served the U.S.A.

I fly my flag at half its staff for the veterans that have died, my neighbors flag is at full staff for those who served with pride. This special day was set aside

by the country you were serving, a salute to you this Veterans Day, there's no - one more deserving.

A good Veterans Day to all our Vets still marching.

Jim Kehr Grayling

Return what doesn't belong to you

To the editor,

This is a letter to parents in Grayling: If your child came home with a "new" Schwinn mountain bike on Nov. 4, claiming that a friend gave it to them or some such story, it's

stolen property. It was stolen out of my back yard at 408 Spruce St., and since that is across from the middle school, I suspect a kid took it. It's an old bike, not worth much, but important to me for sentimental rea-

sons. I'd really like it back, no questions asked.

Restore your self respect and dignity by returning what does not belong to you.

Andrea Chynoweth Grayling

Halloween seemed to have few tricks

To the editor:

There were more decorations for Halloween than I have ever seen before, many within a few blocks of our home. Bouquets also to all of the people who had parties and businesses and churches who treated the children. Unless we missed it, there seemed to be very few "tricks"

around the city. Isn't it wonderful that everyone can have a good time without damaging

anything?

Fay Bovee Grayling

Early Deadlines! Avalanche publishing early for Thanksgiving holiday!

The Crawford County Avalanche will publish on Tuesday, Nov. 22 so newsstand buyers and our local subscribers will receive the issue before the Thanksgiving holiday.

The deadline for all display ads is 5 pm Thursday, Nov. 17, to be considered for the Nov. 24th issue. Community news items and classified display ads must be turned in by noon Friday, Nov. 18. Classified ads by the word must be turned in by noon, Monday, Nov. 21.

The Avalanche will be closed Thursday, Nov. 24, in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday, and re-open at 9 am Friday, Nov. 25

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Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten, but please double-space or use every other line and limit to 500 words.

Every letter must be signed and an address and telephone number must be included to be considered for publication. Letters will not be published without the author's name. Telephone numbers are not published.

All letters are subject to editing and will be printed as space allows.

Deadline for submission of letters to the editor is Friday at noon for consideration for publication in the following week's paper,

Church hosts annual bazaar and bake sale

St. John's Lutheran Church, 710 Spruce St., is having its annual bazaar and bake sale, Nov. 12 from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will be hand crafted items, white elephant table, and a raffle. Soup, desserts, and coffee will be available.

Thanksgiving dinner to be held

The Senior Center Thanksgiving dinner will be held on Nov. 15, at 5 p.m. Turkey, mashed potatoes w/ gravy, stuffing, green bean casserole, sweet potatoes, rolls, cranberry sauce, and pumpkin pie will be served. Cost is \$3 for seniors and children under 12, and \$5 for adults under 60. The Senior Center is located at 308 Lawndale St. For more information or for transportation, contact Elouise Mize at (989)348-7123.

Youth bowling league to hold meeting

A meeting will be held at the American Legion bowling alley on Saturday, Nov.12, at 10 a.m., for anyone interested in joining a youth bowling league. If you have questions, please call Sharon at 348-7232 or Trisha at 344-0033.

Grayling Eagles #3465 to host ball

The Grayling Eagles #3465 on M-72 east, will be holding their Hunters Ball and Wild Game Dinner on Saturday, Nov. 12, dinner served at 4 p.m., while supplies last, \$10 dinner/admission or \$5 admission only. Door prizes plus drawing raffle of \$500, first place prize will be held.

Sheriff to attend city meeting

Sheriff Kirk Wakefield will be attending the City of Grayling council meeting on Monday, Nov. 14, at 8 p.m. He will be there throughout the meeting and if necessary, will remain afterwards for additional questions or comments.

Learn to line dance

Line dance lessons will be held every Thursday night between 6:30 p.m. and 9 p.m. at the Ole Barn in Grayling. For more information contact Glen Weber at 989-732-4878.

TEFAP food distribution to be held

TEFAP, food distribution will be held on Nov.15, at the American Legion from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Food is distributed every three months by the Aux. of the VFW Post 3736 and other volunteers. This month is sign-up for the new year, so bring your Medicaid card or proof of income. Bring someone to help you carry your orders, extra help will not be available. For more information call Bonnie L. Poll at 348-2139.

Hunters dinner to be held man had be won ye

O.E.S. of Grayling will be having their annual Hunters dinner on Tuesday, Nov. 15 from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Masonic Lodge, 304 Michigan Ave. Cost is \$7.50 per person.

Bear Lake Church to present concert

Bear Lake Christian Church, M-72 in Kalkaska presents, in concert, Matt and Josie, Sunday, Nov. 13 at 6:30 p.m.

Learn more about violence and the media with video series

The second video in a series being presented in observance of Domestic Violence Awareness Month by Kirtland Community College is set to show Monday, Nov. 14, 6-8 p.m., at the Kirtland

The series highlights violence as portrayed by the media. The second video, titled "Wrestling with Manhood," looks specifically at how the perception of gender roles can be affected by the media.

The series is offered as a Service Learning project by Kirtland students, in conjunction with River House Shelter, an area shelter for victims of domestic

The third and final video is scheduled to be presented Monday, Dec. 5. The series is free and the public is encouraged to attend. Refreshments will be

For more information, call 989-275-5000.

RANGE FIRING

Range firing scheduled for the period of November 10 - 16 is as

The Range 40 Air to Ground Complex, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lakes, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.) will be conducting live and inert bombing operations by the Air National Guard. November 10-11.

Small Arms Ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Rd., east of the gas pipeline and south of Portage Creek. November 12.

Range 15, located south of the main post, bound on the west by Cadillac Rd., and on the east by Carrier Rd. November 12-13.

ARF Range, located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Rd., east of the gas pipeline and north of Portage Creek. November 12 -13.

Heavy weapons range firing is scheduled from sunrise until three hours after sunset. Due to mobilizations or critical training

the Post requirements, Commander may authorize mission-firing requirements beyond this time.

This firing schedule is subject to change without notice to the

public. Contact the Grayling Natural Department - of Resources for the areas closed for hunting within the boundaries of the installation. The Grayling DNR telephone number is (989) 348-6371. For further information call 1-800-628-

Local church to host christian praise band

Fellowship: of Northern Michigan, 200 Huron, at the corner of the I-75 Business Loop Center Building in Grayling, will welcome the christian praise band, "Seeds", from Chicago on Sunday, Nov. 13. The group will lead praise and worship for the Sunday morning service at 10:30 a.m. The public is welcome.

"Seeds" as a group has been serving the Lord through music since 1955. All six members live and work at Jesus People USA (JPUSA), a 500 member intentional Christian community located in Chicago's Uptown neighborhood, committed to serving God by serving the poor. Within JPUSA are several ministries supported by JPUSA owned businesses. These include a shelter for homeless women with children, another for families and single men and women, a neighborhood youth mentoring program, and a retirement home for low income senior citizens.

a massive outdoor Christian

Resurrection Life music festival, with hundreds of musical acts and thousands of attendees. "Seeds", which is the No. 2 band for the annual and M-72, in the Milltown event, describes itself as having been influenced by many folk and folk/rock bands of the late 60's and 70's, which is how most people describe their musical sound.

> The band also incorporates some "world" elements, with the use of hand drums, didgeridoo, Irish whistle, and ethnic stringed instruments. It has three completely original, full - length albums, all on CD, in addition to a fourth on which they collaborated with other members of their community.

> "Seeds" has toured the Midwest, South and East in the United States and just returned from a tour of Israel this October, hoping this trip will cause other doors to open

hem. Because of their duties in the community and to their families, they do not tour heavily; they are committed to weekly music ministry within the Chicago JPUSA community, In addition, JPUSA conducts leading praise and worship for their church services.

Secretary of State to close for holidays

and Thanksgiving holidays.

The offices will be closed open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday, Nov.11 for Veterans Day and Thursday, Nov. 24, Friday, Nov. 25 and Saturday, Nov. 26 for Thanksgiving. Secretary of State Super Centers normally offer Saturday hours but will be closed on Nov. 26.

The Secretary of State's Office mails notices to motorists 45 days before their license plates expire to give them ample time to renew. Licenses and plates that expire on a day when state offices are closed, such as a holiday or weekend, can be renewed the following day without penal-

Motorists can "skip the trip" to the branch office by renewing license plates by mail, or if eligible, by internet or touch tone telephone. Easy to follow instructions can be found with the renewal notice. License plate tabs will arrive by mail within seven business days.

Branch offices are open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. On Wednesdays the majority of these offices are open from 11

Card of Thanks

The Agape Circle of Mt. Hope Lutheran Church would like to thank all the people who attended, as well as those who supported the 2nd annual Kids' Fall Festival, including the following businesses: Save- A- Lot. Riverland, Burger King, McDonald's, Gray Rock Cafe, McLean's Ace Hardware, Moore's Automotive, Pizza Hut, Big Boy Restaurant, Spicy Bob's, Scott McNamara Ford, Jack Millikin, Inc., Wendy's, Spikes, Gannon Broadcasting, Grayling Animal Hospital, Dan's Snowplowing, River Country Lodge, Airway Automation, Goodale's Bakery, Wal- Mart of Gaylord, Medicine Shoppe, Scheer Motors, Car Quest, Charlie's Corners, Hard Bodyz, Glen's Market, Arby's, Fay's Motel, Subway and Milltown Electric.

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Looking Forward to The Santa Stroll December 10th

The Bible Speaks

Provisional Prayer

Paul's prayer for the saints in Rome included praise for their faith in Romans 1:8, perpetual prayer for them in v. 9, his planning prayer to be with them in v. 10, and his provisional prayer for their establishment in verse 11: "For I long to see you, that I may impart unto you some spiritual gift, to the end ye may be established."

First is Paul's desired plan for their provision. "For I long to see you,...." Paul had a great desire for many years to visit them. (Rom. 15:23). Little did he know he would go to Rome as a Roman prisoner.

Second, Paul had a divine present for their provision. "....That I may impart unto you some spiritual gift..." Jesus Christ by his finished work "....led captivity captive, and gave gifts unto men." (Eph. 4:8-12). He has given gifted men to the church for the perfecting of the saints for the work of the ministry. Not only the saints of Rome but all of us still possess one of Paul's greatest gifts, namely the Epistle to the Romans. But besides these Holy Scriptures, Paul desired to teach them personally in more detail by expounding upon each of these great truths.

Many people think of spiritual

gifts as charismatic experiences which reveal spiritual maturity. But Paul said in 1 Cor.1:7 that Corinth, the most carnal and immature of the churches, had the most spiritual gifts. Therefore Paul spent the most time and space on the subject so the Corinthians would not be ignorant concerning all these spiritual gifts. (1 Cor. 12:1). Paul reminded them that the same Holy Spirit, Lord Jesus, and God the Father were involved giving all spiritual gifts. (1 Cor 12:4-6). He reminded them that the gift or gifts each believer receives is by the will or choice of God. (1 Cor 12:11). He reminded them that all believers are baptized by the Holy Spirit into the body of Christ. "13For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we be Jews or Gentiles, whether we be bond or free; and have been all made to drink into

one Spirit." Paul reminded us that no individual or group has a corner on spiritual gifts. (1 Cor 12:29,30). Paul reminded the Corinthians in chapter 13 that God's truth and love are superior to all other spiritual gifts. He said in 1 Cor 13:1 that we say nothing without love. He said in 1 Cor. 13:2 that we are nothing without love. He said in 1 Cor. 13:3 that we do

nothing without love. reminded us in verse 8 that special gifts of prophecy, tongues, and knowledge would vanish away. They only existed to give knowledge in part until the Holy Scriptures were completed giving us a perfect canon or authority. (See 1 Cor 13:9,10). We are told in 2 Tim 3:16 that God's inspired Holy Scriptures are sufficient to bring us to perfection. Our imperfection is not the fault of God's Holy Scripture but of our own sinful nature and choice.

Third, Paul reminded the saints in Rome of the designed purpose for their provision. "....To the end ye may be established." God's power to establish them was through the preaching of the gospel of Jesus Christ in Romans 16:25. And God commanded that the Holy Scriptures be distributed to all nations "....for the obedience of faith." (Romans 16:26). We owe the gospel of Jesus Christ and a copy of God's Holy Scripture to every human being on earth, beginning with our own children. (Psa. 78:5). Pastor

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McLaughlin, Lake wed



Susanne McLaughlin and Damien Lake

Susanne McLaughlin and Damien Lake were married on July 23, 2005 in a garden ceremony, overlooking the water, at The Bay View Inn of Petoskey.

Susanne is the daughter of Patricia McLaughlin of Grayling and Gary and Deborah McLaughlin of Glendale, Arizona. The bride graduated from Grayling High School in 1991 and holds a degree from Central Michigan University. She is employed at Preston

Damien is the son of Robert and Kathleen Lake of Saranac. He graduated from Saranac High School in 1993 and is employed by The Lappin Group of

was his son, Caleb Lake.

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Cleveland, Ohio. Attending the bride as maid of honor was her daughter, Gwenevere Mueller, with her daughter Lorelei Boice as flower

girl. Standing up with the groom The couple and their children

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This week's menu (lunch/dinner) and activities:

Friday, Nov. 11 - Lunch -Baked ham, marshmallow sweet potatoes, winter blend, and applesauce. No dinner. 12 p.m. Frederic and Maple Forest Satellite Meal, 12:30 p.m. Frederic Medicare Seminar, 1 p.m. Stagette Club and Pantry Bingo.

Saturday, Nov. 12 - Foot clinic- call for an appt. 821-5428 bring your own towel.

Monday, Nov. 14 - Lunch -Stuffed cabbage, spinach, boiled potatoes, and peaches.

Dinner - Navy bean soup, ham biscuit, pineapple, spinach and blueberry crisp. 12 p.m. Stag Club, 1 p.m. Bridge Club, 5:30 p.m. Cardo.

Tuesday, Nov. 15 - Lunch -Hot roast beef sandwich, mashed potatoes with gravy, carrots, and

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grapes. Dinner - Thanksgiving Dinner, turkey, mashed potatoes with gravy, stuffing, green bean casserole, sweet potatoes, rolls, cranberry sauce and pumpkin pie. 9 a.m - 12 p.m. TEFAP pick-up at American Legion. 5 p.m. Thanksgiving Dinner.

Wednesday, Nov. 16 - Lunch -Teriyaki chicken, California blend, tossed salad, pineapple with Jell O Dinner baked ham, brussels sprouts, mashed sweet potatoes, applesauce. 10 a.m. line dancing, 12 p.m. Stag Club, 12:45 Euchre, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Caregiver Class.

Thursday, Nov. 17 - Lunch scalloped potatoes with ham, green beans, and peach crisp. Dinner - meatloaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, and mixed fruit. 10 a.m. aerobics and craft class; 9:30 a.m. Out to lunch-Bronner's of Frankenmuth, 11 a.m. - 12 p.m. blood pressure checks; 5:30 p.m. Uno-Attack.

Crawford County Commission on Aging's Senior Center is located at 308 Lawndale, behind Burger King in Grayling. Walk-ins are wel-

RAFFLE WINNERS

Grayling Youth Booster Club

The 50/50 raffle winners for November 6 of \$25 each: Wendy Johnston, Bill Brooks, Charles Dufas, Danelle Butzin, Bob Cinciala, and Kenny MacKinnon.



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OBITUARIES



LeRoy H. Christian

Nov. 7, 1913 - Nov. 3, 2005 LeRoy H. Christian, 91, of Grayling, passed away on November 3, 2005.

LeRoy was born in Marquette on November 7, 1913, to Charles Luke and Ethel Rose (Hetu) Christian.

He married Loretta Frisco on October 27, 1945 at St. Anne's Church in Phoenix ville, Pennsylvania.

LeRoy attended John D. Pierce High School and Northern State Teachers College. LeRoy taught music in Baraga for two years, then moved to Gladstone, where he lived for 5 1/2 years. During summer schools he went to the University of Michigan and in 1940 received his Masters Degree in Music Education. In 1941, he enlisted in the U.S. Army and later transferred to the Air Corps where he served in the Air Force Band for four years. While serving in WWII, he received a Good Conduct Medal and the American Service Theater Service Medal. taught one semester in Arlington Heights, IL., then in 1945 made the move to Grayling.

LeRoy was a music teacher at Crawford AuSable Schools for 33 years and retired in 1979. He played an active roll in the Grayling community by helping to organize and participate in many parades. He loved music and could play many instruments, his favorites were the violin and the trumpet. During his many years of teaching, he taught vocal and instrumental music to children in grades 1-12 and in 1946 he started a band during the war when no music was offered.

He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Grayling, where he sang in the choir and was active in the Knights of Columbus.

He is survived his daughters: Jacqueline (Gerald) Sabon of Clinton Township, Linda (William) Thomson of Texas, Patricia (Aulo) Gonano of Grosse Isle; son, Paul Christian of Grayling; grandson, Christian (Karla) Sabon; and great- grandson, Alexander Sabon.

He was preceded in death by his wife in March of 2005.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Grayling, on Monday, November 7, 2005 with Father Robert Nalley officiating.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.sorensonlockwood.com. Arrangements made by Sorenson-Lockwood Funeral Home in Grayling.

Harry L. Canfield Sept. 11, 1921 - Nov. 4, 2005

Harry L. Canfield, of Grayling, passed away on November 4, 2005.

He was retired from the Crawford County Commission.

Harry is survived by all of his eight children, many grandchil-

dren and great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Edna, of 51 years.

Card of Thanks

Thank you to the staff at Mercy Hospital and Mercy Manor for the exceptional care of our mother. A special thank you to Karen Henderlong, Murphy and all the thoughts and prayers that made our loss bearable.

> The children and grandchildren of Elene "Ellie" Lozon

Dinner to benefit Stoddard family

banding together to raise funds for a Crawford County man who has spent several years serving on emergency services units and volunteer police forces in the county.

A spaghetti diner will be held from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 19 at the Frederic Elementary School to raise funds for Chuck Stoddard and his family. Last month, Stoddard was diagnosed with squamous cell cancer of the larynx. He will be going through several weeks of chemotherapy

The Frederic Community is and radiation, possibly surgery, and will be traveling to Gaylord and Petoskey for treatments and doctors appointments.

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Stoddard was among the first men in Crawford County to become a licensed EMT. He has served on the Frederic Township Volunteer Fire Department for over 30 years, and has a fire truck obtained with federal funding dedicated in his honor.

Stoddard served as the Frederic Township constable for 20 years. He also was a member of the Crawford

Reserves, reaching the rank of lieutenant.

Stoddard was a charter member for the Grayling VFW Post #3736, served as governor of the Grayling Moose Lodge #1162 and is a member of AuSable Emergency Radio

Stoddard and his wife, Anna, have been married for 52 years. The couple has seven children, 19 grandchildren and seven financial burden of prescripgreat-grandchildren.

and the owners of Patty's Place George Koka said.

County Sheriff's Department of Frederic, George and Tracy Koka and Frank Zimnicki, are spearheading the efforts to organize the benefit dinner for Stoddard and his family.

> Donations and volunteers for the dinner are being sought. Tshirts to show support for Stoddard and his family are also on sale at Patty's Place of Frederic.

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46TH CIRCUIT TRIAL COURT

Sentencings for October 2005 Hon. Dennis F. Murphy

Clinton Michael Ramsey, age 20 of Roscommon - Pled guilty on September 9, 2005 to breaking and entering with intent; sentenced on October 6, 2005 to serve 365 days in jail with credit for 39 days served; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs and \$350 attorney fee; placed on probation for 24 months.

Charles Edward Greene, age 30 of Grayling - Pled guilty on September 9, 2005 to operating under the influence of liquor and operating under the influence of liquor/per se third offense; sentenced on October 6, 2005 to serve 180 days in jail with credit for 1 day served; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs, \$500 penal fine and \$350 attorney fee; placed on probation for 24 months.

Leonard Alan Gower, age 43 of Grayling - Pled guilty on September 9, 2005 to substance delivery/manufacturing marijua-2005 to serve 120 days in jail with credit for 79 days served; driver's license suspended for 60 days and restricted for 305 days; ordered to pay \$225 in restitution. \$60 state minimum costs. \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs, \$250 penal fine and \$350 attorney fee; placed on probation for 18 months.

Ashley Joann Weaver, age 20 of Frederic - Pled guilty on September 9, 2005 to controlled substance possession of marijuana and controlled substancesecond offense-double penalty; sentenced on October 6, 2005 to serve 6 days in jail with credit for 1 day served; ordered to pay \$45 state minimum costs, \$50 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs, \$100 penal fine and \$350 attorney fee; placed on probation for 12 months.

Catherine Ann Belski, age 46 of Roscommon - Pled no contest on September 27, 2005 to homicide-manslaughter short form; sentenced on October 17, 2005 to serve three years and two months to 15 years in prison with credit for 98 days in jail served; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee and \$3,417 in restitution.

Hon. Patricia A. Morse

Tyree Keyes, age 26 of Carson City - Pled guilty on August 1, 2005 to prison-possession of contraband; sentenced on October 3, 2005 to serve one year to five years in prison with sentence to run concurrent with present prison commitment; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs and \$60 crime victim rights fee.

Robert Alexander Arch, age 23 of Kincheloe - Pled guilty on September 8, 2005 to controlled substance possession less than 25 grams; sentenced on October 3, 2005 to serve 365 days in prison with credit for 111 days served with sentence to run concurrent with present prison commitment; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs and \$60 crime victim rights fee.

Robert Louis Mathiak, age 48 of Paw Paw - Pled guilty on September 8, 2005 to perjury during court proceeding; sentenced on October 3, 2005 to serve 90 days in jail with credit for 6 days served; ordered to serve 6 days in jail with balance of sentence held in abeyance; \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs and \$350 attorney fee; placed on probation for 12 months.

John Christopher Ramsay, age 40 of Detroit; Pled guilty on September 8, 2005 to controlled substance possession less than 25 grams; sentenced on October 3, 2005 to serve 30 days in jail with credit for two days served; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs and \$350 attorney fee; months.

Rory James McInerney, age 22 of Houghton Lake - Pled guilty on September 8, 2005 to controlled substance possession of marijuana and controlled substance-second offense-double penalty; sentenced on October 3, 2005 to serve 120 days in jail with credit for two days served; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs and \$250 penal fine.

Patrick James Fisher, age 28 of Grayling - Pled no contest on September 8, 2005 to assaultweapon; sentenced on October 3 2005 to serve 365 days in jail with credit for 76 days served; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs, \$250 penal fine. and \$350 attorney fee.

Jack Pomeroy, age 50 of Grayling - Pled no contest contest on September 8, 2005 to assault-weapon; sentenced on October 3, 2005 to serve 180 days in jail with credit for one day served, and jail time held in abeyance; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs and \$350 attorney

Mark Daniel Fournier, age 26 of Waterford - Pled guilty on September 9, 2005 to criminal sexual conduct third degree with person 13-15; sentenced on October 3, 2005 to serve 365 days in jail with credit for one day served, and jail time held in abeyance; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs and \$350 attorney

fee; placed on probation for 36

months. Norman Dean Pratt, age 21 of Grayling - Pled guilty on September 8, 2005 to controlled substance possession less than 25 grams; sentenced on October placed on probation for 12 3, 2005 to serve 60 days in jail with credit for two days served; ordered to pay \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs, \$350 penal fine and \$220 restitution fee; placed on probation for 18 months.

Thomas Allan Kelley, age 47 of Grayling - Pled guilty on August 17, 2005 to false pretenses between \$200 and \$1,000; ordered on October 3, 2005 to pay \$326,309.30, \$45 state minimum costs, \$50 crime victim rights fee and \$300 circuit court costs.

Floyd Ervin Goddard, age 63 of Grayling - Pled guilty on March 14, 2005 to controlled substance possession of marijuana and controlled substancesecond offense-double penalty; sentenced on October 3, 2005 to serve 180 days in jail with credit for 1 day served with jail time held in abeyance; ordered to pay \$180 restitution, \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee and \$300 circuit court costs; placed on probation for 24

months. Hon. John G. Hunter

Robert Vernell Childs, age 21 of Grayling - Pled guilty on September 13, 2005 to controlled substance possession of marijuana; sentenced October 18, 2005 to serve 90 days in jail with credit for 51 days served; ordered to pay \$310.47 in restitution, \$60 state minimum costs, \$60 crime victim rights fee, \$300 circuit court costs and \$350 attorney fee; placed on probation for 12 months.

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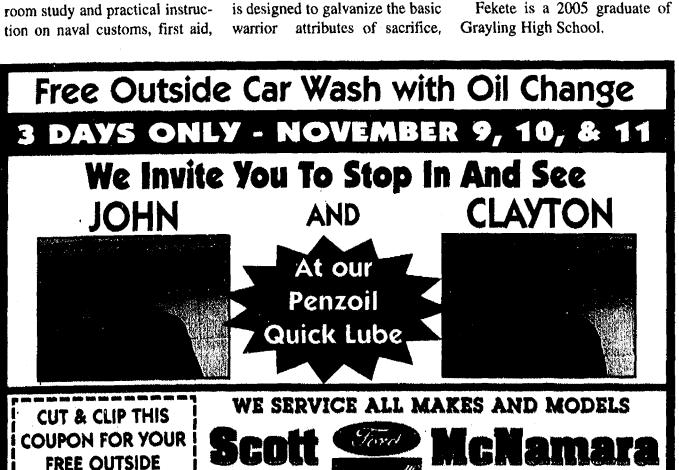
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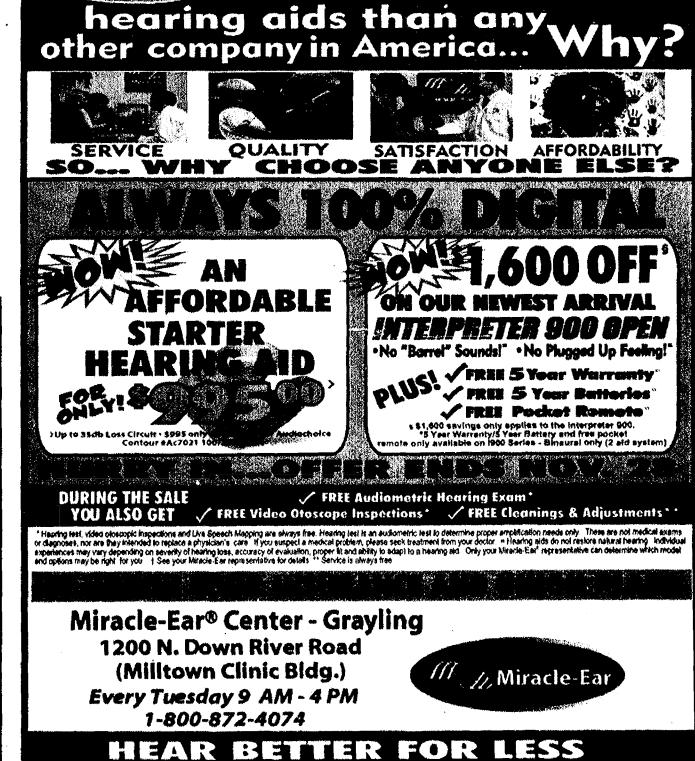
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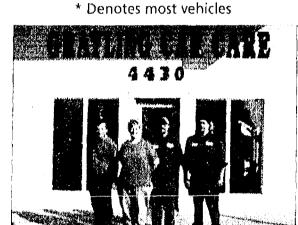
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McIsaac honored for work with children

Michigan Blues give recognition and support to Grayling Youth Booster Club's Irving McIsaac

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Irving McIsaac, who co-founded the Grayling Youth Booster Club and has served Grayling youth for three decades, was honored Friday evening, Nov. 4, for his outstanding efforts to support Crawford County youth.

Melsaac was presented with an engraved trophy and \$1,000 donation for the Grayling Youth Booster Club at a gala reception and award presentation in Detroit.

Melsaac accepted the \$1,000 check and then drew a huge laugh from the audience of nearly 400, by opening his acceptance speech with, "I want to

thank Blue Cross Blue Shield. They sure run a helluva program down here."

The Caring for Children Angel Award is a statewide recognition program that honors individuals whose extraordinary volunteer efforts improve the lives of children in Michigan. Presented annually by Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan and Blue Care Network, the awards go to one Grand Angel recipient and five finalists from across the

Others who received 2005

Angel Awards on Friday were: Mary Buschell, co-founder and director of Camp Trail's Edge in Mayville, an annual five-day camp experience for medically ventilator-dependent fragile, children;

Marge Griep, a Braille transcriber at Seedlings Braille Books for Children in Livonia;

Sue LeGalley, co-founder of Beacon House, which provides patients at Marquette General Hospital:

Detroit Police Officer Geoffrey Townsend, who founded Reality Check Detroit, crime prevention program designed to assist at-risk

youth by focusing on education-

lodging for family members of al, social and behavioral development; and

> Fourteen-year-old Jennifer Titche, "Littlest Angel" and cofounder of Dream Reading, which collects donations and distributes books to inner city schools in Grand Rapids.





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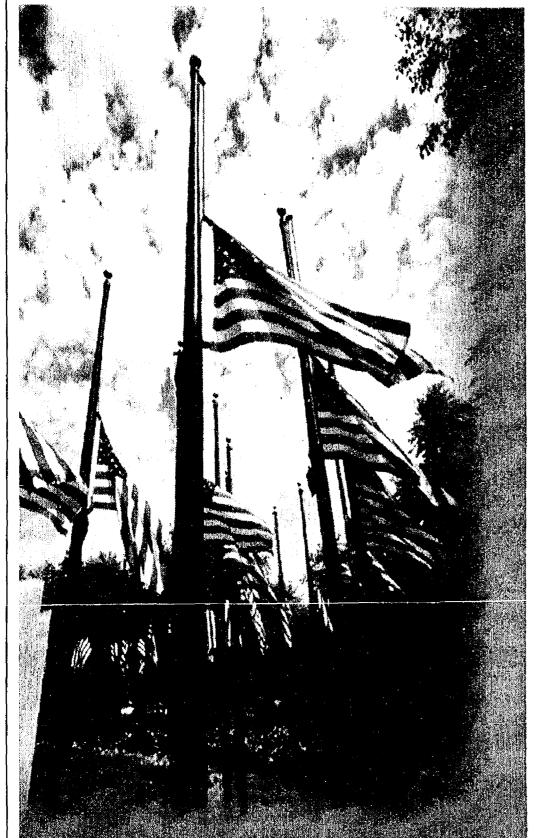
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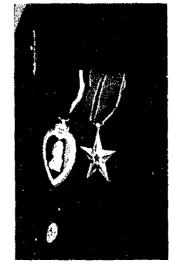
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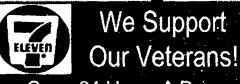
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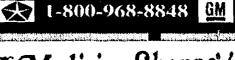


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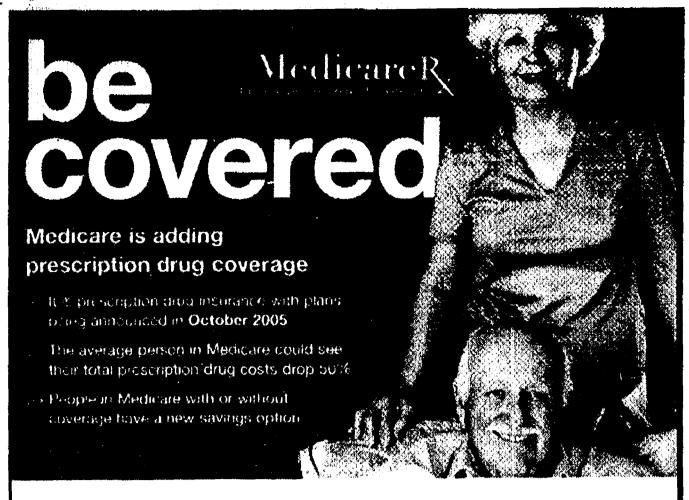


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Ambassadors spotlight Riverland Gear



The Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce's Ambassador Club selected Riverland Gear as the October Spotlight-a-Member. Pictured above (L to R) Jackie Parker, manager Pam Barr, and business owner Ann Stephenson.

of Chamber Ambassadors Club selected Riverland Gear as the October Spotlight-a-Member Award recipient.

At the corner of Michigan Avenue and the I-75 Business Loop, Riverland Gear opened in October of 1997 by owners Ann

The Grayling Regional Stephenson and daughters, Commerce Heidi Pendergraff and Heather Meyer. The store carries name brand clothing for both men and women and includes gifts and

In January of 1998 Riverland Dry Cleaners opened in the back half of the building providing professional dry cleaning.

Although Stephenson continues to be involved in the business and the community, her daughters are employed elsewhere. Meyer does all the store decorating, however, she works full-time as a R.N. at Mercy Hospital and Pendergraff is a high school teacher in Novi.

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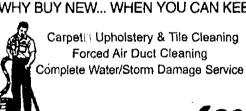
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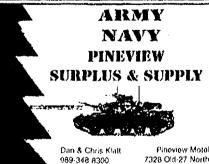
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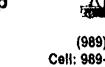
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Course EPA	<u>Dates</u> Sept. 16, 17	<u>Location</u> West Branch				
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EZ-Built Homes adds new showroom, jobs

by Dan Sanderson Staff Writer

more than tripled its workforce over the last three years has upgraded its facilities to showcase its products and capabilities.

EZ-Built Homes recently relocated its sales office and showroom next to its manufacturing plant on Young Street in the Grayling Industrial Park. A grand opening, open house to allow the public to view the showroom, which is designed like a home and has several bathroom and kitchen features on display, will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

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EZ-Built homes relocated its office from the Grayling Mini A Grayling firm which has Mall to allow for expansion of office space at the firm's main plant, make room for new employees and give customers a central location to view the company's home models and talk with sales staff.

> E-Z Built Homes builds panelized interior and exterior walls for homes and commercial build-

> The new design department for the firm is located on the basement floor of the showroom. EZ-Built homes will soon begin offering home design services.

> "We can design your home, and you can get it built anywhere you want to," said Keith Kenny, senior vice president of EZ-Built Homes.

EZ-Built Homes will complete construction of 30 to 40 homes by the end of the year. The firm has done work for several apartment and housing complexes throughout the state, including jobs in Munising, Ypsilanti, Grand Rapids, Traverse City and Petoskey.

The firm, which started with nine people, has had up to 38 employees working on three shifts at the plant.

"We should remain at full employment through the winter, based on our sales this year," Kenny said.

Photo by Dan Sanderson

EZ-Built Homes recently relocated its sales office and showroom next to its manufacturing plant on Young Street in the Grayling Industrial Park. Above, Keith Kenny, senior vice president of EZ-Built Homes, stands next to the fireplace in the showroom.

Kirtland's women's basketball team hosting night for kids at CRAF Center

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Football team wins district title

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and still had to win our final two regular season games just to make it to the playoffs. We are now one of eight teams left in the state in Division 4," Coach Ben Brock said. "We have accomplished a lot and the great part is that we aren't done yet."

"Defending state champion Muskegon Orchard View (has) great athletes and even better speed. They have been ranked number one all year and have a 25-game winning streak going. We are excited to play a team with such credentials. We are definitely the underdog. The good news is that makes our guys angry. We'll have to use our toughness to try to make a game out of it. It should be a good time," Coach Brock said.

The Vikings (8-3) will play at Muskegon Orchard View (11-0) on Friday, Nov. 11, at 7:30 p.m. for the Region 1 championship. Pre-sale tickets are available at the GHS office for \$5.

Tickets will also be sold at the



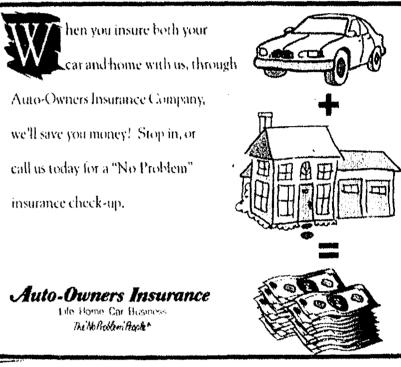
Joey Bancroft carries the ball for Grayling in Friday's game against Kingsford.

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For more on Friday night's game against Kingsford, see

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Local scouts earn Rifle and Shotgun Merit Badge

As part of the Boy Scouts Rifle and Shotgun Merit Badge requirements, Boy Scout Troop 995 from Grayling and Troop 991 from Mio took part in a oneday class on firearms safety, identification and use.

Richard Kiessel, who has grandsons in Boy Scouts and is a former scout himself, offered to conduct this class with the help from members of the Mio Moose Lodge. Kiessel is also an instructor for hunter safety classes for all youths.

The scouts had to learn two different parts of firearms, knowledge and use. They learned to identify firearms, firearm safety principles, firearm components and the safe way to clean all firearms.

of They light of the Hart the rifle category with a .22 caliber. With their own individual shooting coach each scout had to put five rounds of five in an area the size of a quarter. "That is a pret-



Pictured with the three Mio Moose Lodge Hunter Safety instructors (back row) are scouts from Troop 995 (front, L to R) Robert Thiel, Logan Woodley and CJ Bertrum; (middle, L to R) Aaron Kiessel, Josh Aimesbury, Corey Kiessel, Matthew Dunckel and Josh Sass.

ty small area," said Kiessel. pigeons out of 50. Scouts who worked on the Shotgun Merit Badge had to qualify by shooting 24 clay

During the day the scouts were served lunch by the ladies of the Mio Moose.

Scouts use their map reading skills on U.P. bike trip

Local Boy Scout Troop 995 recently took a fall bike trip to the upper peninsula. The scouts set up camp at the Straits State Park in St. Ignace on Friday evening. On Saturday morning after breakfast the scouts rode their bikes from camp to the Star Line Ferry to go across to

Once on the island the scouts used the bike maps to navigate the trails on the island. They rode on trails and went to places they never knew were there. The boys found the "Cave in the

Mackinac Island.

woods" and the "Crack in the Scoutmaster Jim Pickell. woods", located in the north western center of the island and once in a while for repairs, three took time out to explore the small cave and behind it was the crack in the woods, which was about 7 feet deep, 30 feet long and about 16 inches wide.

Using the bike map gave the boys more experience with map reading and finding their way.

The scouts were able to go into the Grand Hotel and walk around and see the beauty of the hotel. "You almost feel like you are out your element", said

The scouts did have to break of which were major. When we got back to the mainland the scouts rode back to camp; with the exception of two, who had to be trucked back to camp due to

mechanical problems. Troop 995 is looking forward to seeing snow on the ground so they can do their annual "Polar Bear Campout". Any boys interested in joining Boy Scouts can call Scoutmaster Jim Pickell at 348-2870.



Pictured L. to R: Alex Millar, Scoutmaster Jim Pickell, Storm Shriver, Asst. Scoutmaster Norm Poll, Tom Pilon, Corey Kiessel, Aaron Kiessel, Chartered Rep. Dave Shriver and Shawn Redmond.



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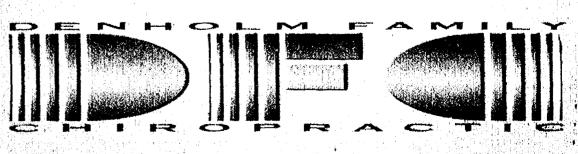
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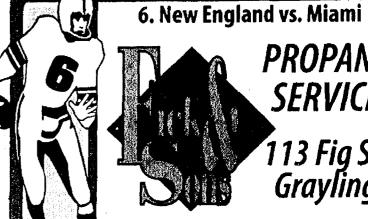
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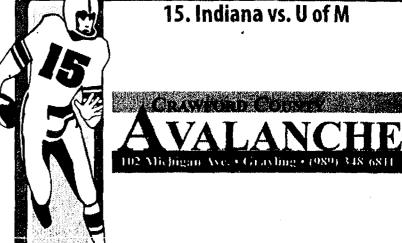


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GMS names students of the month



The students selected as Grayling Middle School Students of the Month for September are, from the left:(back row) Andrea Ashton, Ali Barber, Robert Beaulieu, Nicole Bobenmoyer, Joey Bowman, Brittany Cannoy, Taylor Desenfants, Erin Dubriwny, Taylor DuVall; (second row) Sierra Dyer, Savannah Foguth, Darcy Greer, Ashley Hall, Kirston Hobson, Julia Huhtula, John Lennon, Ryan McIntyre, Karen Minard, Sean Molda; (front row) Jack Myers, Shelby Pippin, Megan Reichelderfer, Rachel Sowinski, Josie Swander, Tyler Theaker, Matt Townsend, Joey VanNuck, Haley Wiseman; (not pictured) Devon Bobenmoyer, Kendra Fisk, Nick Jacobs, Jeff Lashley, Sara West, Wes Willoughby.

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Stacy and John Paul Nolan, of Fairview, announce the arrival of their son, Luke Mason, born at Mercy Hospital on October 23, 2005, at 9:42 a.m., weighing 8 lbs., 6 ozs. and measuring 22 inches in length.

Elizabeth Hawley and William Plude, of Mio, announce the arrival of a daughter, Felicity Joann, born at Mercy Hospital on October 10, 2005, at 10:08 a.m., weighing 7 lbs., 5 ozs. and measuring 20 1/2 inches in length.

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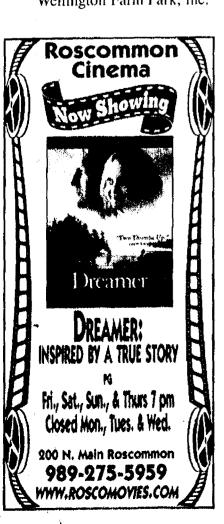
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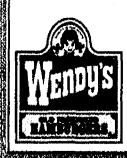
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Vikings clinch district title with 35-18 victory over Kingsford

Grayling to play at Muskegon Orchard View for regional crown

■ Vikings force three turnovers and outscore Flivvers 14-0 in the fourth quarter

by Caleb Casey Senior Staff Writer

first ever district championship in football with a 35-18 victory

Friday at Viking Stadium.

Kingsford received the open-series, ing kickoff and took an early 6-0 lead with a 62-yard, five-play 20-yard touchdown run.

point kick attempt. The Vikings responded with a the Vikings a 7-6 lead 2:55 into

over the Kingsford Flivvers last four-play, 75-yard touchdown the contest. drive. On the third play of the Bancroft completed a pass to Reagan Schmidt for a gain of 48 scoring drive that ended on a yards. Joey Bancroft scored a TD on the next play with a 26-

the extra point for GHS, giving

quarterback Jeff Grayling's on-side kick and started at the 50-yard line. Kingsford finished the possespass. Grayling stopped Grayling High School won its Grayling blocked the extra yard run. Jason Drudge kicked Kingsford's two-point conversion attempt. The Flivvers led

Grayling started at its 35-yard The Flivvers recovered line after the kickoff. A pass to Eli VanNuck gained 27 yards. Three runs by Jeff Bancroft and one by Joey Bancroft picked up sion with a 26-yard touchdown a first down. An offside penalty on 3rd and 2 brought up 3rd and 7. Kingsford intercepted a Grayling pass in the end zone to end the series.

Kingsford ran three plays and punted.

The Vikings took over at their 29-yard line. On the fourth blay of the possession – 4th and 9 – Grayling punted but Kingsford was whistled for a roughing the kicker penalty, giving GHS a **Continued on Page 4B**

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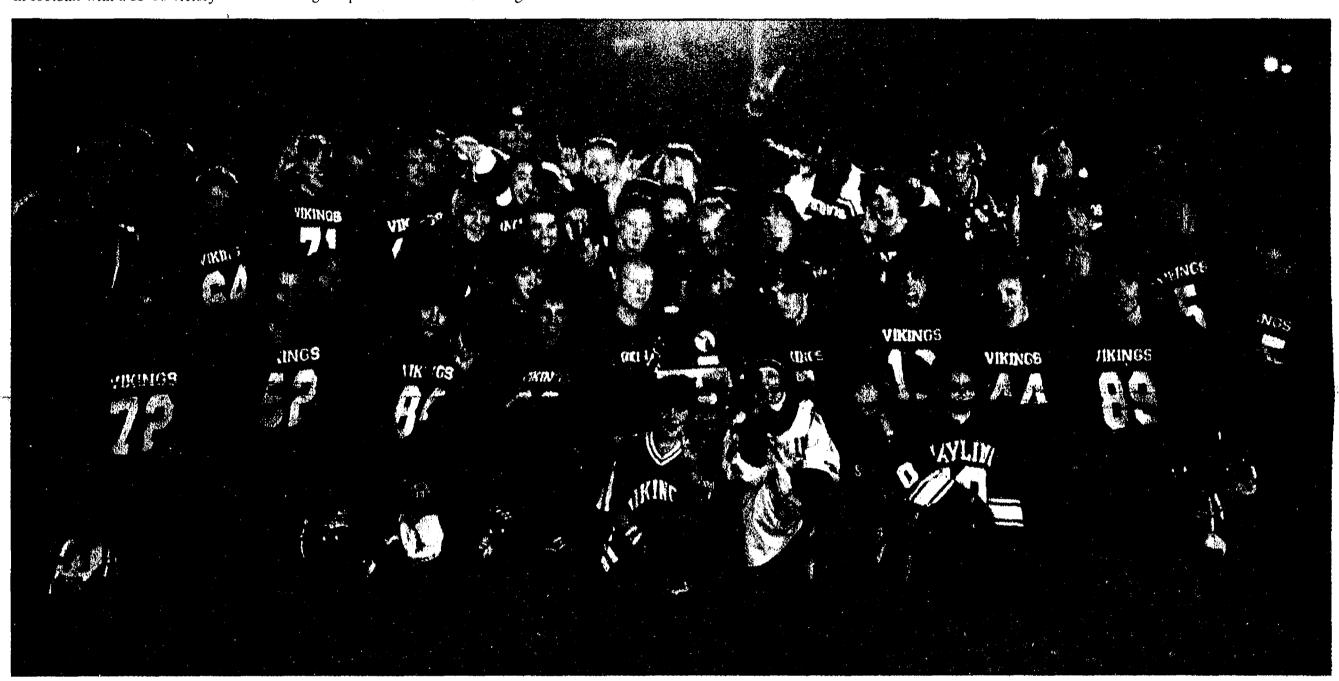


Photo by Caleb Casey

The Grayling High School football team celebrates its district championship after Friday night's 35-18 victory over the Kingsford Flivvers.

Girls basketball team draws a bye in first round of districts

Grayling to play winner of Kalkaska vs. Petoskey in district semifinals

The GHS varsity girls basketball team drew a bye for the first round of its district tournament and will play the winner of Kalkaska vs. Petoskey in the tournament's semifinal round.

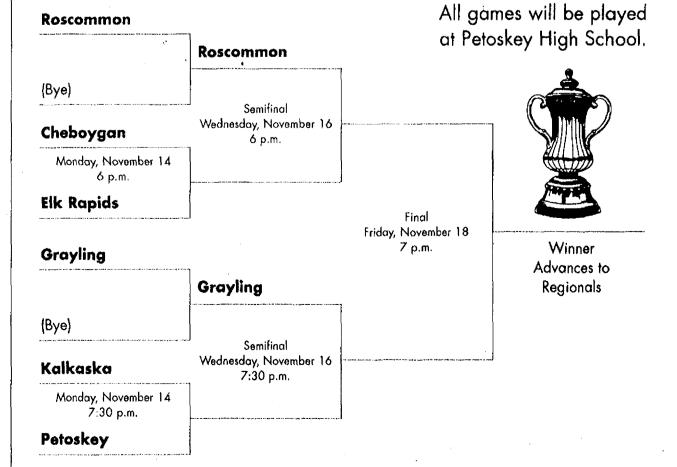
There are six teams in this year's Michigan High School Athletic Association District 63-B girls basketball tournament -Grayling, Petoskey, Kalkaska, Cheboygan, Roscommon, and Elk Rapids.

The tourney will be played at Petoskey High School.

Grayling and Roscommon both drew first round byes and advance to the semifinals. On Monday, November Cheboygan will play Elk Rapids at 6 p.m. in the first of two round one games. Kalkaska plays Petoskey at 7:30 p.m. on Monday night.

Grayling will play the winner of Kalkaska vs. Petoskey and Roscommon face Cheboygan or Elk Rapids in the semifinal round.

Michigan High School Athletic Association Girls Basketball Class B District #63



The semifinals will be played 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 16, with Roscommon playing at 6

The district championship game will be played on Friday, p.m. and Grayling playing at November 18, at 7 p.m. The win-

ner will advance to the Class B Region 16 tournament to be held at Gaylord High School on November 21-23.

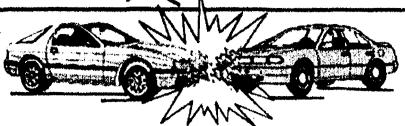
Vikings defeat Elks, Rams



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Ashlev Bindschatel drives to the basket for Grayling in last Tuesday's 58-24 win over Elk Rapids. For more on the varsity basketball squad, see Page 3B.





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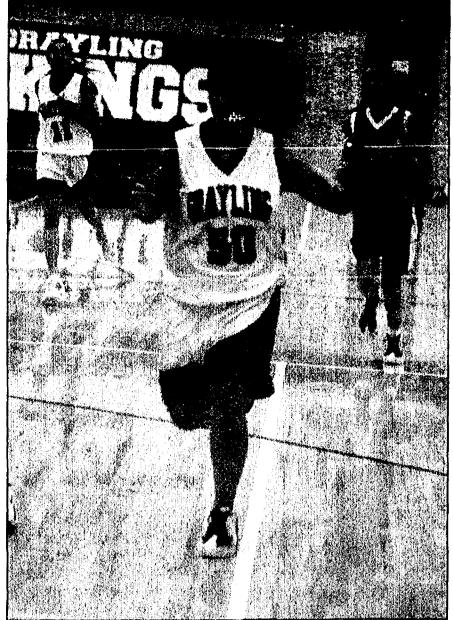
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Annie Melroy takes an inside shot for Grayling vs. Elk Rapids on Tuesday.



Alyssa Lewis dribbles the ball for GHS in last week's JV game against the Elks.

JV Vikings win vs. Elks 40-31

Grayling to finish 2005 season with a game at Roscommon on Thursday

The Vikings of Grayling High School defeated Elk Rapids 40-31 in last Tuesday's junior varsity girls basketball game at GHS.

Grayling led 12-7 after one quarter and had a 27-14 advantage at halftime. The Vikings took an 11-point edge into the fourth quarter, 36-25, and won

by nine points, 40-31. "The inside girls - Tiffany (Davis) and Alyssa (Lewis) played a heck of a game defensively," Coach Jimmy Parker said..."We were certainly outsized. We had an all-around

heck of a defensive game. We've scorer for Grayling with 17 still got to work on shooting and getting open," Coach Parker said. "I'm proud of them. Elk Rapids beat us the first time over there. some speed and getting confi-Tonight, we played better as a whole as a team. It was a fun game to coach. It was fun to

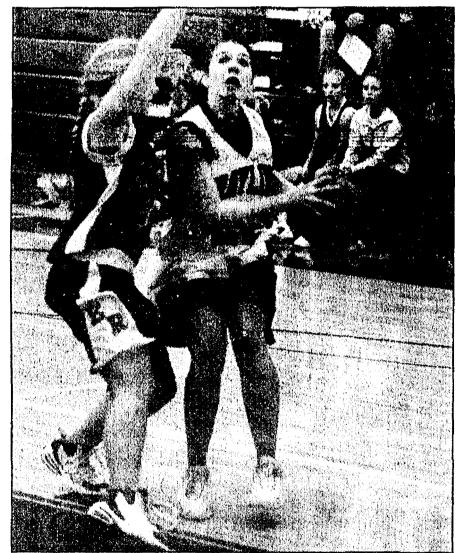
watch them play as a team." "I hope they keep the intensity of the last three games and a half," Coach Parker said.

Annie Melroy was the leading November 10.

points. Jessie Baker and Gabby Calkins both finished the game with 6 points. "Annie is learning that she has

dence in her shot. That's really going to help us down the stretch," Coach Parker said. The JV team will end its 2005

season with a game at Roscommon on Thursday,



Jessie Baker looks to shoot for the Vikings on Tuesday night.

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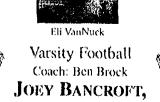
Girls Basketball Coach: L.J. Mead ASHLEY BINDSCHATEL

Ashley was selected for "her consistent and aggressive play this week. In our two games, she averaged 10 points, 4 rebounds, 3 assists, and 2 steals. Ashley was a huge spark in both our wins this week," her coach said.

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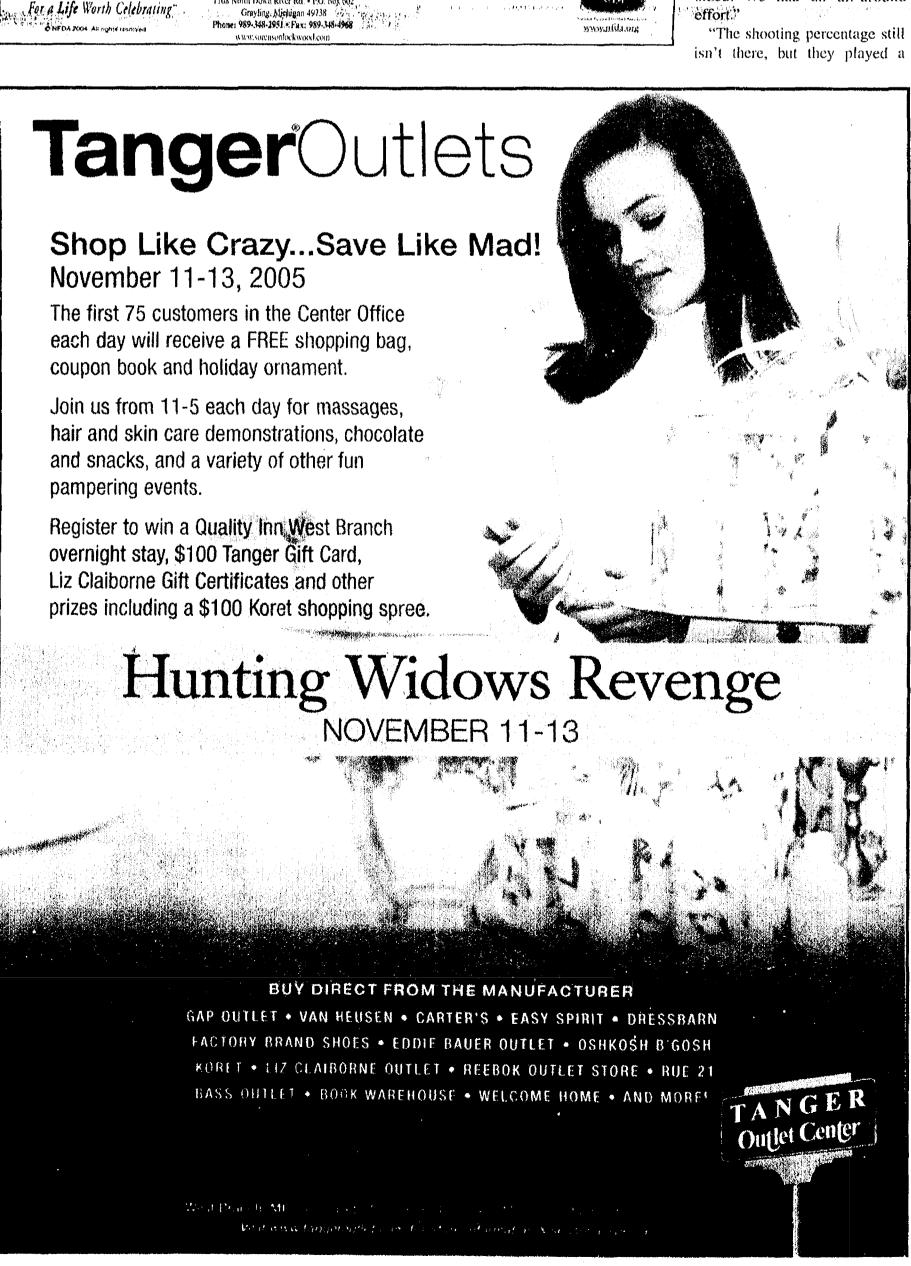
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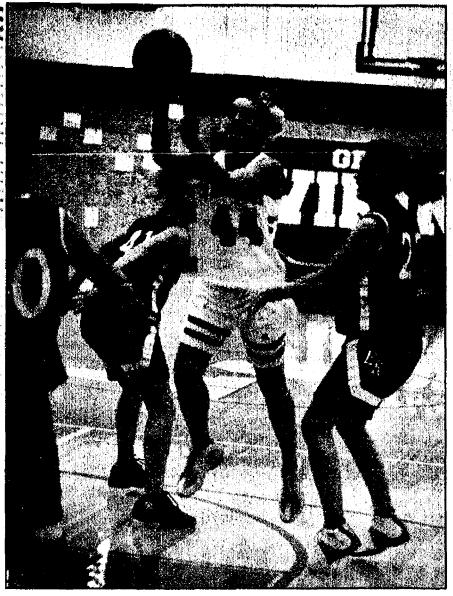




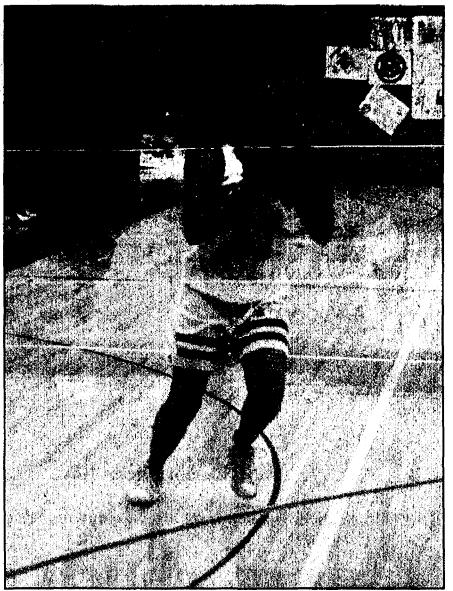
REAGAN SCHMIDT & ELI VANNUCK Joey ran for 185 yards and 3 TDs vs.

Kingslord. "Joey is closing in on the school record for rushing yards," his coach said. Reagan, a senior, had 4 catches for 64 yards and a TD on Friday, "(He) had the best game of his career at a time when we needed him the most," his coach said. Elihad 9 tackles and 3 interceptions on defense. "Eli shut down their main receiver, who is the U.P. state champ high jumper," his coach said.





Katie Baynham passes the ball to a teammate in last week's game against Elk Rapids.



Samantha Wakeley handles the ball for the Vikings during Tuesday's game vs. the Elks.

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Vikings defeat Elks, Rams

GHS wins home game vs. Elk Rapids 58-24, wins 62-42 at **Harbor Springs**

Grayling High School's varsity girls basketball team won league games against Elk Rapids and Harbor Springs last week.

On Friday, the Vikings defeated the Elks of Elk Rapids 58-24 at GHS.

Grayling led 17-6 after one quarter and had a 38-13. advantage at halftime. The Vikings had a 45-16 lead going into the fourth quarter and finished with a 34point victory.

tonight and really put forth a Michelle McGuire had 7 points,

great effort. We never allowed more than eight points in a quarter. Our defense caused many turnovers, creating easy buckets for us going the other way," Coach L.J. Mead said. "Offensively we are moving the ball around and executing better than we have all season."

Katie Baynham posted a double-double for GHS vs. Elk Rapids with 15 points, 10 rebounds, 2 assists, and 4 steals. team come together this week. I Trisha Petersen had 14 points, 2 hope we can carry this momenrebounds, 2 assists, and 3 steals; Ashley Bindschatel had 12 points, 4 rebounds, 2 assists, and 4 steals; Laura Boylan had 9 "We mixed it up on defense points and 10 rebounds; and

2 rebounds, 3 assists, and 4 steals. Monica Peters, Andrea Southard, and Monica Leslie all

62-42 at Harbor Springs vs. the

"Our girls put together a complete game tonight, as we really executed well on both sides of the ball. It was fun watching our tum into the tournament," Coach Mead said.

At Harbor Springs, McGuire had 20 points, 3 rebounds, 2 blocks, 3 assists, and 2 steals; Baynham had 13 points, 6

rebounds, 1 assist, and 3 steals; Petersen had 6 points, 5 rebounds, 2 assists, and 2 steals; finished with three rebounds Bindschatel had 8 points, 3 rebounds, and 4 assists; Boylan On Thursday, the Vikings won had 7 points, 8 rebounds, and 1 block; Amanda Lutz had 2 points, 4 rebounds, and 1 steal; Peters had 2 rebounds and 3 steals; Leslie had 2 points, 1 rebound, and 1 steal; Southard had 1 point, 3 rebounds, and 1 steal; and Abby Wheeler had 2 points, 3 rebounds, and 3 steals.

The Vikings finish their 2005 regular season with a game at Roscommon on Thursday, November 10. In districts, the Vikings will play the winner of Monday night's Kalkaska vs. Petoskey game in the semi-final round at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 16, at Petoskey.





Photos by Caleb Casey

Trisha Petersen drives to the basket for Grayling on Tuesday night.

BOWLING LEAGUE

Friday Mixed Doubles New "Kids" 24 - 12 American Legion ... 21.5 - 14.5 Moshier Auto Repair 18 - 18 Lucky & Laura's 16 - 20 Double Trouble 14.5 - 21.5 IMM. 14 - 22 High Series Men: R. Moshier, 601; J. Campbell, 554; D. Wallace, 544. High Game Men: D. Wallace, 225; P. Lewis, 217; R. Moshier, 215. High Series Women: S. Johnson, 496; P. Benardo, 476; K. Moshier, 474. High Game Women: S. Johnson, 178; P. Benardo, 177; K. Men: P. Faustman, 548; L. Moshier, 174.

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M. Starks, 191; T. Harney, 190. Senior Bowling

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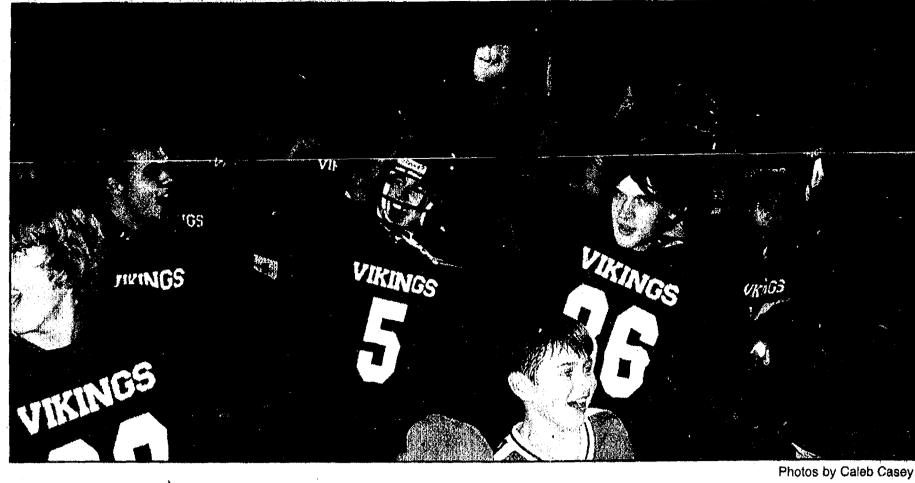


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The Vikings cheer their fans on after Friday night's playoff victory over the Kingsford Flivvers.

Vikings clinch district title with 35-18 victory over Kingsford

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first down. Three runs by Joey Bancroft picked up a first down. Completed passes to Bobby Starks, Schmidt, and VanNuck brought up 1st and 10 at the 12yard line. On 2nd and 5, Joey Bancroft scored on a 7-yard touchdown run. Drudge kicked the extra point, and the Vikings led 14-12 with 6:17 left in the first half.

Kingsford fumbled on its first play from scrimmage and Schmidt recovered the ball for GHS. Grayling took over at midfield. On the seventh play of the drive, GHS went for it on 4th and 2 and surrendered the ball on

The Vikings forced Kingsford to punt on 4th and 8. Zach Dean blocked the kick for Grayling and recovered the loose ball, giving GHS possession at Kingsford's 32-yard line.

Joey Bancroft ran for 11 yards on 2nd and 10. A run by Joey Bancroft and a pass to Zac Baker brought up 1st and 10 at the 1yard line. Joey Bancroft finished the drive with his third touchdown run of the contest. Drudge kicked the extra point, giving Grayling a 21-12 advantage with 41 seconds left in the half.

Kingsford had a good return on the kickoff nullified by a holding penalty. A pass completion gained 24 yards on first down, moving the Flivvers into Grayling territory. On 3rd and 10 from the 42-yard line - the final play of the half - VanNuck knocked down a Kingsford pass in the end zone to end the series.

GHS led 21-12 at halftime. The first possession of the second half ended with a punt by Grayling.

Kingsford took over at its 30yard line. The Flivvers ran for nine yards on first down, then broke free for a 61-yard touchdown run on 2nd and 1. The extra point kick sailed wide right. The Vikings led by three, 21-18.

The next three possessions – two by Grayling and one by Kingsford – ended with punts.

The Flivvers drove from their of 35-18. 22-yard line to Grayling's 42 on five plays and one Grayling penalty (offsides on 4th and 2). Grayling's defense held from there and forced a Kingsford

A pass to Baker gained 12 yards. Joey Bancroft ran for 11 yards on the next play. Two runs by Joey Bancroft picked up another first down. Runs by Jeff Bancroft and Joey Bancroft brought up 1st and 10 at the Kingsford 31-yard line. Jeff Bancroft ran for 22 yards on 2nd and 11 to bring up 1st and 10 at the 10-yard line. Grayling fumbled on the next play and Kingsford recovered.

The Flivvers started at their own 14-yard line. On the second play of the series, VanNuck intercepted a Kingsford pass to end

GHS started at its 47-yard line after the interception and gained 14 yards on first down with a run by Joey Bancroft. On 4th and 5, after losing three yards on a fumble on 3rd and 2, Grayling converted with a pass to Schmidt. Two runs by Joey Bancroft picked up 13 yards, bringing up 1st and goal at the 10-yard line. Three plays later, on 4th and goal at the 7, Jeff Bancroft completed a pass to Schmidt for a touchdown. Drudge kicked the extra point, and GHS led 28-18 with 4:50 left in the game.

On the second play of Kingsford's next possession, Jeff Bancroft intercepted a Flivver pass and returned the ball all the way to the goal line for a touchdown. With the extra point kick by Drudge, GHS led 35-18.

Kingsford started at its 41-yard line after the kickoff and picked up one first down with a 10-yard pass play. On 3rd and 10, VanNuck Kingsford's pass attempt.

Grayling took over at its 27-

Post 106 - Grayling

yard line with 3:05 left in the game. Grayling ran the ball three times, forcing Kingsford to burn all three of its timeouts. The Vikings ran once and kneeled twice to bring up a punting situation. Grayling kicked.

The Flivvers started at their 39-yard line with 38 seconds remaining. On 3rd and 1 - the final play of the game - VanNuck intercepted a Kingsford pass for the third time that night.

On offense, Jeff Bancroft finished with 160 passing yards and one touchdown. Joey Bancroft rushed 36 times for 185 yards and three touchdowns. Schmidt had four catches for 64 yards and one touchdown. VanNuck and Baker both had three receptions for 40 yards.

Defensively, VanNuck had 9 tackles and 3 interceptions; Jeff Bancroft had 7 tackles and 1 interception; Baker had 7 tackles; Matt Larson had 6 tackles; Nick Parkinson had 5 tackles; Andrew Woolsey had 5 tackles; Schmidt had 4 tackles and 1 fumble recovery; and Dean had 1 blocked punt and I fumble recovery.

"It was a night that none of these guys will ever forget. All of the hard work in the offseason paid off as we captured our first ever district championship," Coach Ben Brock said. "Seniors Reagan Schmidt, Eli VanNuck, Zac Baker, Zach Dean, Matt Larson, and Joey Bancroft all brought their best in their final home game ever at Ferguson Field. Schmidt had a huge TD reception in the fourth as well as many other key catches. Bancroft finished the night with three touchdowns and 185 yards. VanNuck had three huge interceptions. Dean had a gamechanging blocked punt. Larson had our biggest hit of the year on their stud running back. And Baker ran the show on defense, calling out every formation and play that Kingsford ran."

"Our coaching staff called Jeff Bancroft out in the beginning of the week. We told him, in front of

the team, that it would come down to how well he played if we were going to win. Jeff accepted the challenge and led us to a victory with his rollout passes and precise decision making all game. Then he sealed the deal when he intercepted a pass in the fourth quarter and took it to the house. I am very proud of how he has stepped up his game in the

playoffs," Coach Brock said. "This is such a group of over-Grayling won by a final score achievers this season. No one thought that this team would be where it is now. We were 4-3 at one point. We finished third in the conference and still had to win our final two regular season games just to make it to the playoffs. The seniors willed us to win and have not let up since then. We are now one of eight teams left in the state in Division 4," Coach Brock said, "We have accomplished a lot and the great part is that we aren't done yet."

"Our next game is the state quarterfinal against defending state champion Muskegon Orchard View. They have great athletes and even better speed. They have been ranked number one all year and have a 25-game winning streak going. We are excited to play a team with such credentials. We are definitely the underdog. The good news is that makes our guys angry. We'll have to use our toughness to try to make a game out of it. It should be a good time," Coach Brock said.

The Vikings (8-3) play for the Division 4 Region 1 championship on Friday, Nov. 11, at Muskegon Orchard View (11-0). Game starts at 7:30 p.m. Tickets for the contest can be purchased at the GHS office this week or at the gate on game night. Tickets are \$5.

GHS is also offering spectator buses for the contest. The cost -\$10 – covers bus ride to and from the game and the ticket into the game. Buses will depart Grayling High School at 1:45 p.m. on Friday afternoon. Visit the GHS office this week to sign up for the bus ride. Payment is due at the time of sign-up.



Bobby Starks runs with the ball after catching a pass vs. Kingsford.



We would like to congratulate the Viking's players, Coach Ben Brock and his Asst. Coaches on winning the District Finals and for an outstanding season. We would like to wish each and everyone on the team GOOD LUCK at Muskegon. We are proud of each and everyone of you! From the Grayling Redskins Board, Players, Coaches and Parents.

GO VIKINGS!

Boys basketball camp postpones opener

The Little Vikes Boys' Basketball Camp for athletes in grades 2-6 will start later this month. The event was slated to start November 12, but those sessions will be postponed until a later date due to Friday's football playoff game at Muskegon.

The camp, which will have separate sessions for players in grades 2-4 and 5-6, is still accepting registrations.

The camp for grades 2-4 will run on November 19, December 9:30-11 a.m. at Grayling High

NAME:__

School's gymnasium.

The camp's format will damentals, 10:15-11 a.m. games.

The camp for grades 5-6 will also run on November 19, December 3, 10, and 17, and sessions will run from 8-9:30 form - with payment - to the a.m. at the GHS gym.

fundamentals, 8:45-9:30 a.m. Make checks payable to

3, 10, and 17, and January 7 from per player for either camp. Camp tact Coach Moffit at director is Rich Moffit, GHS

LITTLE VIKES BOYS' BASKETBALL CAMP

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boys basketball coach.

Each player will receive the include: 9:30-10:15 a.m. - fun- following: 1, basketball jersey 2. instruction and games 3. play at halftime of a Grayling High School JV basketball game.

To sign up for either camp, January 7. The 5th and 6th grade complete and return the attached Grayling Elementary or the Camp format is: 8-8:45 a.m. - Grayling Middle School Office. "Grayling Basketball." If you The cost to participate is \$17 have any questions, please conrmoffit@casdk12.net.

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NEXT REGISTRATION DATE:

WINTER SEMESTER Nov. 28 - Dec. 2

LEGAL ACTION

Notice Of Mortgage **Foreclosure Sale**

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by:

'AuSable' Valley Investment Company,

First National Bank of Gaylord, Mortgagee, dated March 6, 2002 and recorded March 8, 2002 in Liber 572 Page 463 Crawford County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was partially discharged by the instrument recorded April 24, 2003 in Liber 630, Page 355. Said mortgage was assigned through mesne assignments to: Alaska Seaboard Partners Limited Partnership, by assignment dated September 6, 2005 and recorded October 4, 2005 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Twenty-Eight Thousand Three Hundred Fourteen Dollars and Ninety-Seven Cents (\$28,314.97) including interest 8.9% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given

room to hear the following requests:

05-013

Case #

Petitioner:

Property ID#

Location:

Lot Size:

Request:

Case #

Petitioner:

Location:

Lot Size:

Zoning:

Zoning:

that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a 33 minutes 06 seconds West 127.59 feet; sale of the mortgaged premises, or some thence South 23 degrees 05 minutes 18 part of them, at public vendue, at the front seconds East 197.66 feet; thence South 53 North? corner of said Section 33; thence described as: Commencing at the North? door to the County Bldg. in Grayling, MI at 10:00AM on Wednesday, November

Said premises are situated in Maple Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as:

GRAYLING TOWNSHIP ZONING

BOARD TO HEAR VARIANCE

REQUESTS

The Grayling Township Zoning Board of Appeals will meet in ses-

sion on Monday, November 21, at 7 p.m. in the town hall board-

Gerry & Dot Brzezinski

Ft. Myers, FL 33912

T26N, R4W, Sec. 9

property line.

227 Elbow Trail

227 Elbow Trail

Administrator: PO Box 521: Grayling, MI 49738

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T26N, R3W, Sec. 11

Natural River District (NRD)

Preliminary case texts and zoning maps are available for review by

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Viking Way, or written, signed comments can be sent to: Zoning

The meetings of the Grayling Township Zoning Board of Appeals

05-014

040-45-761-02-001-00

14639 Eagles Lookout Ct.

General Residential (R-2)

John & Connie Novak

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Variance of 20-feet in the required rear yard to

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Variance of 30-feet on required side yard and a variance of 138-feet on the required front yard

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leading from deck to conforming dock.

Parcel Number 7: A Parcel of land situated in Maple Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan, and more fully described as follows:

That part of the Northeast? of Section 33, Town 28 North, Range 3 West, described that part of the North? corner of said Section 33; thence South 89 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds East along the North line of said Section and the centerline of 612 Road 658.41 feet; thence South 00 degrees 15 minutes 17 seconds East 664.86 feet; thence North 89 degrees 16 minutes 43 seconds West 328.32 feet; thence South 00 degrees 19 minutes 52 seconds East 1009.63 feet to the point of beginning; thence South 89 degrees 40 minutes 08 seconds East 570.17; thence 95.57 feet along the arc of a 100.00 feet radius curve to the right whose long chord bears South 28 degrees 48 minutes 41 seconds West 91.98 feet; thence South 56 degrees 11 minutes 29 seconds West 100.38 feet; thence 138.37 feet along the arc of a 100.00 feet radius curve to the left whose long chord bears South 16 degrees

degrees 37 minutes 51 seconds West 594.91 feet; thence North 00 degrees 19 minutes 52 seconds West 790.07 feet to the point of beginning.

SUBJECT TO AND TOGETHER WITH easement's "A", "B" and "C" as described

Parcel Number 8: A parcel of land situated in Maple Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan, and more fully described as follows:

That part of the Northeast? of Section 33, Town 28 North, Range 3 West, described as: Commencing at the North? corner of said Section 33; thence South 89 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds East along the North line of said Section and the centerline of 612 Road 658.41 feet; thence South 00 degrees 15 minutes 17 seconds East 664.86 feet; thence North 89 degrees 16 minutes 43 seconds West 328.32 feet; thence South 00 degrees 19 minutes 52 seconds East 1799.70 feet to the point of beginning; thence North 53 degrees 37 minutes 51 seconds East 594.91 feet; thence South 23 degrees 05 minutes 18 seconds East 605.30 feet to a point on the East and West ? line of said section; thence North 89 degrees 15 minutes 44 seconds West along said? line 715.53 feet; thence North 00 degrees 19 minutes 52 seconds West 194.84 feet; to the point of beginning.

SUBJECT TO AND TOGETHER WITH easement's "A", "B" and "C" as described

66 FEET WIDE EASEMENTS "A" An easement situated in Maple Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan, and more fully described as follows:

A 66 feet wide easement for ingress egress and the installation and maintenance of public and private utilities over and across part of the Northeast? of Section 33, Town 28 North, Range 3

being described as: Commencing at the the centerline of said easement being South 89 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds East along the North line of said Section and the centerline of County Road 1240.52 feet to the point of beginning of said easement centerline; thence along said centerline South 00 degree 06 minutes 08 seconds East 42.66 feet; thence 118.51 feet along the arc of a 400.00 feet radius curve to the left whose long chord bears South 08 degrees 35 minutes 24 seconds East 118.08 feet; thence 175.81 feet along the arc of a 593.37 feet radius curve to the right whose long chord bears South 08 degrees 35 minutes 24 seconds East 175.17 feet; thence South 00 degrees 06 minutes 08 seconds East 750,37 feet; thence 192.49 feet along the arc of a 150,00 feet radius curve to the right whose long chord bears South 36 degrees 39 minutes 35 seconds West 179.55 feet; thence South 73 degrees 25 minutes 19 seconds West 199.21 feet; thence 125.65 feet along the arc of a 100.00 feet radius curve to the left whose long chord bear South 37 degrees 25 minutes 36 seconds West 117.54 feet; thence South 01 degrees 25 minutes 53 seconds West 282.64 feet; thence 95.57 feet along the arc of a 100.00 feet radius curve to the right whose long chord bears South 28 degrees 48 minutes 41 seconds West 91.98 feet; thence South 56 degrees 11 minutes 29 seconds West 100.38 feet; thence 138.37 feet along the arc of a 100.00 feet radius curve to the left whose long chord bears South 16 degrees 33 minutes 06 seconds West 127.59 feet; thence South 23 degrees 05 minutes 18 seconds East 197.66 to the point of ending of said easement centerline and the center of a 90 feet radius Cul-De-Sac easement.

33 FEET WIDE EASEMENT "B" An easement situated in Maple Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan, and more fully described as follows: A 33 feet wide easement for ingress egress and the installation and maintenance of public and private utilities over and across part of the Northeast? of Section 33, Town 28 North Range 3 West, corner of said Section 33; thence South 89 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds East along the North line of said section and the centerline of County Road 1316.81 feet to the point on the East 1/8 line of said Section; thence South 00 degrees 06 minutes 08 seconds East along said 1/8 line 1282.31 feet; thence South 89 degrees 53 minutes 52 seconds West 331.49 feet to the point of beginning of said easement centerline; thence along said centerline North 51 degrees 45 minutes 44 seconds West 174.00 feet to the point of ending of said easement centerline.

66 FEET WIDE EASEMENT "C" An easement situated in Maple Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan,

as more fully described as follows: A 33 feet wide easement for ingress egress and the installation and maintenance of public and private utilities over and across part of the Northeast? of Section 33, Town 28 North, Range 3 West, the centerline of said easement being described as: Commencing at the North? corner of said Section 33; thence South 89 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds East along the North line of said Section and the centerline of County Road 1316.81 feet to the point on the East 1/8 line of said Section; thence South 00 degrees 06 minutes 08 seconds East along said 1/8 line 1841.52 feet to the point of beginning of said easement centerline; thence along said centerline North 57 degrees 38 minutes 55 seconds West 137.54 feet; thence South 73 degrees 11 minutes 50 seconds West 108.12 feet; thence South 11 degrees 11 minutes 41 seconds West 210.77 feet; thence South 68 degrees 28 minutes 44 seconds West 254.72 feet to the point of ending of said easement centerline; said point of ending also being the point of ending of easement "A" and said center of 90 feet radius Cul-

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The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: OCTOBER 13, 2005 Alaska Seaboard Partners Limited Partnership Assignce of Mortgagee

Potestivo & Associates, Attorneys:

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Our File No: 05-37741,

-20-27-3-10

Notice Of Mortgage **Foreclosure Sale**

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Thomas A. Sorenson, a single man, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated February 3, 2003, and recorded on February 21, 2003 in Liber 621 on Page 029, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Six Thousand Thirty-Nine And 23/100 Dollars (\$96,039.23), including interest at 6.25% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the Front door of the County building in Grayling at 10:00 AM, on November 30,

Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 37, Red Wing Terrace, as recorded in Liber 4, on Page

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: October 27, 2005 For more information, please call: FC X 248,593,1302 Trott & Trott, P.C.

Attorneys For Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nomince for lender and lender's successors and/or

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PUBLIC NOTICE FOR LOVELLS TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT

A Public Hearing on a proposed amendment to the Lovells

Township Zoning Ordinance will be conducted by the Zoning Board on Wednesday, November 30, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. at the Lovells Township Hall located at 8405 Twin Bridge Road. The proposed amendment concerns Section 1. Amendment of Article XVI, Section 16.02 Subsection (F) - Penalties for Violations. The full text may be viewed by contacting the Township Supervisor (989-348-9215) during regular office hours Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. All interested persons are invited to attend the hearing, and comment on the proposed amendment. Written comments may be addressed to: Lovells Township Zoning Board, 8405 Twin Bridge Road, Grayling, MI 49738 and should be received prior to the hearing.

CRAWFORD COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING BOARD MEETING **SCHEDULE 2005-2006**

Meetings held on the 3rd Monday of each month at 9:30 am in the Senior Center Dining Room located at 308 Lawndale St. in Grayling.

October 17th, 2005 November 21st, 2005 December 19th, 2005 January 16th, 2006 February 20th, 2006 March 20th, 2006

April 17th, 2006 May 15th, 2006 June 19th, 2006 July 17th, 2006 August 21st, 2006 September 18th, 2006

Terry R. Wright

Zoning Administrator

are open to the general public.

LEGAL ACTION

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE **CIRCUIT COURT** FOR THE **COUNTY OF CRAWFORD**

FILE NO. 05-6842-CH ESTATE OF ROGER J. WEATHER-LY, SR., - Deceased Plaintiffs,

EDNA MCNAMARA, UNKNOWN HEIRS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

Defendants. GERARD E BRABANT, P.C. By: Gerard F. Brabant P31123 Attorney for Plaintiffs P.O. Box 35 Roscommon, MI 48653

(989) 275-4365

ORDER TO ANSWER On the 11th day of September 2005, an

action was filed by Plaintiff, against Defendants in this court to pursue a judgment quiet title the following described real property:

Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, to-wit:

The South 100 feet of the North 924 feet, of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 31, Town 25 North, Range 2 West, lying East of the AuSable River.

Upon consideration of the Complaint of Plaintiffs, attesting to the fact that the Defendant EDNA MCNAMARA, HER UNKNOWN HEIRS, SUCCESSORS OR ASSIGNS addresses are unknown, and that therefore service upon Defendants of the Summons and copy of the Complaint in this action cannot otherwise be effectuated, and it appearing to the Court that the Defendants can best be apprised of the pendancy of this action by publication of this Order in a newspaper.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant, EDNA MCNAMARA, HER UNKNOWN HEIRS, SUCCESSORS OR ASSIGNS, shall file an answer with the Court and serve a copy of his answer on the law office GERARD F. BRABANT. P.C. Gerard F. Brabant, Attorney for Plaintiff, whose address is 241 Lake Street, P.O. Box 35, Roscommon, MI 48653, or to take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 10th day of January 2006. Failure to comply with this Order may result in a judgment by default against the Defendant, EDNA MCNAMARA, HER UNKNOWN HEIRS, SUCCESSORS OR ASSIGNS, for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order be published once each week for three (3) consecutive weeks in Crawford County Avalanche.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order be posted once each week for four (4) weeks in the Crawford County Building.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order be posted at the above described parcel of land at a location visible from the nearest public road and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the first publication of this Order be made within 14 days from the date of entry of

Date of Order: 10-13-05 Dennis E. Murphy P31907

HONORABLE

Circuit Court Judge

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE **CIRCUIT COURT** FOR THE **COUNTY OF CRAWFORD**

FILE NO. 05 6761 CH (D) Crawford County Housing Rehabilitation and Community Development Commission, PLAINTIFF

Joseph Parriet and Kimberly Puett aka Kimberly Parriet,

DEFENDANTS David R. Sabin P19822 Attorney for Plaintiff 115 Michigan Avenue Grayling, Michigan 49738 (989) 348-5588

phone 989 348-9215.

Terri Cusick

NOTICE OF SALE NOTICE IS GIVEN that by virtue of a Default Judgment in the County of

Crawford, Michigan, dated October 3, 2005, directing the sale of the followingdescribed property which is located in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, I shall offer the said properties for public sale to the highest bidder at the front door of the Courthouse at 200 W. Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan 49738, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2005 AT 10:00 A.M.

All that part of the West 1/2 of the West 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 17, Town 26 North, Range 2 West, lying South of Highway M-72. Affixed to the real estate is a 1992 Fairmont Manufactured Home SN MY9386285K. Tax ID No. 040 40 017 01 300 00.

Karen Martella, Chief Deputy Sandra Moore Clerk of the Circuit Court

-27-3-10-17-24-1 MORTGAGE SALE

*THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT. ALL INFORMATION WILL BE USED FOR THIS PURPOSE.

Default having been made for more than thirty (30) days and the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by Covenant Capital, Inc., a Michigan corporation ("Mortgagor") to The Huntington National Bank, a National Banking Association of 10717 Adams Street, Holland, Michigan, Mortgagee, dated June 20, 2002, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan on July 3, 2002, Liber 587, Page 137, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of \$75,099.00 and an attorneys fee as provided for in said Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the money as secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof and the entire sum claimed due is, as of the date hereof, fully due and payable.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on November 23, 2005, at 10:00 a.m., local time, the undersigned will, immediately inside the lobby of the Courthouse, City of Grayling, Michigan, (that being the place for the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said Mortgage for so much thereof which may be necessary to pay the amount due on said Mortgage, with 10.51 percent blended interest and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, together with said attorneys fee, and also any sum or sums which may be paid and are by Mortgagee necessary to protect its interest in the premises, which premises is located in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan and described as following, to-wit:

Lot 2, Block 26, of Roffee's Addition, City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 11, Crawford County Records.

commonly known as: 902 Park Street, Grayling, Michigan 49738 PPN: 070-200-026-002-00

During the six (6) months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed except in the event the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA §600.3241(a), in which case the property may be redeemed during the thirty (30) days immediately following the sale.

THE HUNTINGTON NATIONAL BANK, MORTGAGEE RHOADES LAW OFFICE PC

Date: October 12, 2005 Peter D. Rhoades P O Box 2271 Holland MI 49422 616-355-7318

-20-27-3-10-17

NOTICE

LOVELLS TOWNSHIP

There will be a meeting of the Lovells Township Board of Appeals

on Tuesday, November 15th, 2005 at 4:00 p.m., to discuss a vari-

ance request as submitted by Pat Gilmore. Request is for a pro-

posed pole barn 170' feet from North Branch of the AuSable River.

Address any questions or concerns to the Lovells Township Zoning

Administrator at 8405 Twin Bridge Road, Grayling, MI 49738,

Lovells Township Zoning Board of Appeals

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dated October 14, 1999, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan on October 27, 1999, Liber 494, Page 76, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of \$75,099.00 and an attorneys fee as provided for in said Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the money as secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof and the entire sum claimed due is, as of the date hereof, fully due and

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on November 23, 2005, at 10:00 a.m., local time, the undersigned will, immediately inside the lobby of the Courthouse, City of Grayling, Michigan, (that being the place for the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said Mortgage for so much thereof which may be necessary to pay the amount due on said Mortgage, with 10.51 percent blended interest and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, together with said attorneys fee, and also any sum or sums which may be paid and are by Mortgagee necessary to protect its interest in the premises, which premises is located in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan and described as following, to-wit:

Lots No. 7 and 8 Grayling Mobile Estates No. 1, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 8.

commonly known as: 4079 West Pinecrest, Grayling, Michigan 49738

During the six (6) months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed except in the event the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA §600.3241(a), in which case the property may be redeemed during the thirty (30) days immediately following the sale.

THE HUNTINGTON NATIONAL BANK, MORTGAGEE BY: RHOADES LAW OFFICE PC Dated: October 12, 2005 Peter D. Rhoades P O Box 2271 Holland MI 49422

616-355-7318

-20-27-3-10-17

Notice Of Mortgage **Foreclosure Sale**

PETER M. SCHNEIDERMAN & ASSO-CIATES, P.C., IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFOR-MATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CON-TACT OUR OFFICE AT (248) 539-7400 IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY

MORTGAGE SALE-Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by: Ronald William Erdman, a single man to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., ("MERS"), solely as nominee for Lender and Lender's successors and assigns HOME-COMINGS FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC., Mortgagee, dated April 2, 2003, and recorded on April 3, 2003 in Liber 626, on Page 404, Crawford County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of SEVENTY TWO THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED SIXTY NINE AND 14/100 DOLLARS (\$72,469.14), including interest at 7.875% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the front door of the County Building in Grayling, Michigan at 10:00 o'clock a.m., on, December 7, 2005.

Said Premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as:

The West 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 33, Town 27 North, Range 3 West.

And also part of the East 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 33, Town 27 North, Range 3 West, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan. Commencing at the North 1/4 corner of said Section 33, thence South 89 degrees 31 minutes East

(along the section line); 982.13 feet to the Point of Beginning, thence continuing South 89 degrees 31 minutes East 327.41 feet to the East 1/8 line, thence South 1 degree 00 minutes 25 seconds West (along the East 1/8 line); 922.20 feet to the center line of Trail Road, thence North 33 degrees 17 minutes West (along center line of Trail Road); 438.9 feet, thence North 22 degrees 40 minutes West (along center line of Trail Road); 199.8 feet, thence North 0 degrees 59 minutes 19 seconds East, 373.90 feet to the Point of Beginning.

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TAX ID NO. 20-040-44-033-01-080-00 The Redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale. Dated October 27, 2005

Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., ("MERS"), solely as nominee for Lender and Lender's successors and assigns HOMECOMINGS FINAN-CIAL NETWORK, INC.,

Mortgagee PETER M. SCHNEIDERMAN & ASSO-CIATES, P.C.

23100 Providence Drive, Suite 450 Southfield, Michigan 48075

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on November 23, 2005, at 10:00 a.m., local time, the undersigned will, immediately inside the lobby of the Courthouse, City of Grayling, Michigan, (that being the place for the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said Mortgage for so much thereof which may be necessary to pay the amount due on said Mortgage, with 10.51 percent blended interest and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, together with said attorneys fee, and also any sum or sums which may be paid and are by Mortgagee necessary to protect its interest in the premises, which premises is located in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan and described as following, to-wit:

Lots 3 and 4, Block 3, of Brink's Park, Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 33, Crawford County Records.

commonly known as: 304 Scott Street, Grayling, Michigan 49738

During the six (6) months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed except in the event the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA §600.3241(a), in which case the property may be redeemed during the thirty (30) days immediately following

THE HUNTINGTON NATIONAL BANK, MORTGAGEE BY: RHOADES LAW OFFICE PC Date: October 12, 2005 Peter D. Rhoades P O Box 2271 Holland MI 49422 616-355-7318 -20-27-3-10-17

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Crawford County Board of Commissioners meeting minutes are now available on the county website: www.crawfordco.org eight days following the scheduled board meeting or may be obtained at the County Clerk's office for six (6) cents per page.

Sandra Moore County Clerk/Register of Deeds October 11, 2002

WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Allen L Labo and Laura K Labo, husband and wife, original mortgagor(s), to Homeowners Loan Corp., a Delaware Corporation, Mortgagee, dated January 15, 2004, and recorded on January 28, 2004 in Liber 665 on Page 479, in Crawford county records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to JPMorgan Chase Bank, as Trustee as assignee by an assignment, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty-Seven Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-One And 76/100 Dollars (\$87,291.76), including interest at 9.12% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the Front door of the County building in Grayling at 10:00 AM, on November 30,

Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 26, AuSable Trails Subdivision, being part of the North East 1/4 of Section 1, Town 26 North, Range 3 West, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan, according to the plat recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, Page 59, Crawford County Records

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: October 27, 2005 For more information, please call: FC H 248.593.1300 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For JPMorgan Chase Bank, as

30400 Telegraph Rd Ste 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822 File #067814F01

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NOTICE OF **MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE** SALE

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLEC-TOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be reseinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Frederic Pratt, an unmarried man, original mortgagor(s), to Wells Fargo Home Mortgage, Inc., Mortgagee, dated July 22, 2003, and recorded on September 10, 2003 in Liber 651 on Page 370, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixteen Thousand One Hundred Eighty-Three And 26/100 Dollars (\$116,183.26), including interest at 6% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the Front door of the County building in Grayling at 10:00 AM, on November 30,

Said premises are situated in Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: The South 1/2 of the following described property: The Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 32, Town 25 North, Range 2 West, except the South 495 feet thereof, Crawford County Records.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale. Dated: October 27, 2005

For more information, please call: FC D 248.593.1309 Trott & Trott, P.C.

successor by merger and/or name change to Wells Pargo Home Mortgage, Inc. 30400 Telegraph Rd Ste 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-

Attorneys For Wells Fargo Bank, NA

5822 File #070178F01 -27-3-10-17

Notice Of Mortgage **Foreclosure Sale** THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR

ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT.

ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Suzanne Harmon, a single woman, original mortgagor(s), to Empire National Bank, Mortgagee, dated September 20, 1999, and recorded on October 4, 1999 in Liber 492 on Page 10, in Crawford county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thirty-Two Thousand Seventeen And 91/100 Dollars (\$32,017.91), including interest at 10% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the Front door of the County building in Grayling at 10:00 AM, on December 14,

Said premises are situated in Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and are described as: The South onefourth of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 16, Town 26 North, Range 2 West. Except 33 feet off the East side for road right-of-way

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: November 10, 2005 For more information, please call: FC F 248.593.1313 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Huntington National Bank f/k/a Empire National Bank 30400 Telegraph Rd Ste 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822 File #072100F01

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Notice Of Foreclosure

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT: ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE-PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW.

ATTN POTENTIAL PURCHASERS AT FORECLOSURE SALE: Green Tree Servicing LLC (f/k/a Green Tree Financial Servicing Corporation) may rescind this sale at any time prior to the end of the redemption period. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited to the return of your bid amount tendered at the sale, plus interest.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by Lionel Richardson and Mary J. Richardson, husband and wife, to Green Tree Servicing LLC (f/k/a Green Tree Financial Servicing Corporation), dated April 24, 1998, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford in the State of Michigan on May 4, 1998, in Liber 452, Page(s) 470, et. seq., on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due as of the date of this Notice the sum of \$89,315.57, together with interest at 9.22 percent per annum.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative and that pursuant to that power of sale and MCL 600,3201 et. seq., on December 14, 2005 at 10:00 a.m., in the Lobby of the Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court and/or for conducting such foreclosure sales for the County of Crawford, there will be offered at public sale, the premises, or some part thereof, described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit:

LOT 3, JANICE MANOR, GRAYLING TOWNSHIP, CRAWFORD COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN LIBER 3 OF PLATS, PAGE 22, CRAWFORD COUNTY RECORDS.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale unless the property is abandoned pursuant to MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

BRANDT, FISHER, ALWARD & ROY,

(f/k/a Green Tree Financial Servicing Corporation) Donald A. Brandt (P30783) Attorneys for Mortgagee

Green Tree Servicing LLC

1241 E. Eighth Street, P.O. Box 5817 Traverse City, Michigan 49686-5817 (231) 941-9660 Dated: November 4, 2005

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LOOK AT OUR PAST FROM THE PAGES OF THE AVALANCHE

23 Years Ago

November 11, 1982

100-foot by 40-foot Frederic Township Fire Hall. The \$97,350 building expected to be finished by February 29, will have five bays for fire trucks and vehicles. The new fire hall, located behind the township hall, will replace the current fire hall, also located next to the township hall.

Hunters will probably see fewer large racks on bucks opening day because of a harsh winter last year, says Ray Perez, DNR wildlife biologist for Crawford and Kalkaska coun-Last year several large bucks were taken in the county, Hartwick Pines area.

team, closed out their 1982 season with a 20-6 loss to Onaway which was played in three inches of snow.

In girls middle school basketball action, the Grayling 7th grade girls beat Gaylord St. Mary's 24-13 and beat Houghton Lake 30-19. The 8th grade girls overwhelmed Gaylord St. Mary's 42-12 and then lost to Houghton Lake 22-19.

Several members of the '41 and '42 Grayling High School Football Team and cheerleaders attended a cocktail party reunion. It was recalled that this team never lost a conference game in two straight years, and

RECIPE

OF THE

WEEK

only suffered one defeat. This team was not only unique with Construction has started on a its win - loss record but also by the fact that there were seven sets of brothers involved.

> The varsity girls recorded more league victories this year than any other GHS girls basketball team since the team joined the Michigan Huron Shores Conference more than 10 years ago.

> Pink Floyd The Wall, is now showing at the Rialto Theatre.

> Federal grant money totalling \$23,060 will boost curriculum in all four schools in the Crawford AuSable School District.

Richard Headlee, loser in the governor race to Jim Blanchard and Philip Rupee, loser in the including a 12-point from the U.S. Senator race to Don Riegle, both out-polled their opponents Grayling Vikings football in Crawford County. Crawford County voters agreed with the rest of the state giving Austin the most votes for secretary of state and Kelly, the most votes for attorney general.

46 Years Ago

November 12, 1959

November 15, is the target date for more than 400,000 hunters expected to open Michigan's regular and special fire arm deer season.

Bob Cousy, of the Boston Celtics, wears and recommends "P-F" canvas basketball and gym shoes, now available at the Grayling Mercantile for \$8.95.

A full freight car load of wine consigned to Harry Kumrei, bev-

1 can (16.3 oz.) refrigerated

butternilk bisquits.

ing butter: sprinkle with any remaining cinnamon sugar. BAKE 15 minutes or until golden brown. Serve warm.

1 Tbsp. ground cinnamon

1/2 cup sugar

erage distributor, arrived in Grayling from Napa Valley, California. The carload of wine brought in for the coming holiday season was valued at about \$14,000. It will be distributed in an eight county area of Northern Michigan.

The people of the Bear Lake area are very enthused over the prospect of building a community house on one acre of land donated by Art Cough of Grayling, located on the corner of Bear Lake Road and M -72, which is approximately the center of Bear Lake Township.

McEvers Motor Sales, located at 600 Cedar St., advertised a 1960 Rambler American, a 2 door sedan for \$1,795, a brand new 4 door Rambler American sedan for \$1,844 and a 1960 Rambler American Deluxe Station Wagon for \$2,020.

69 Years Ago November 12, 1936

Plans have been made for the establishment of first aid and information stations in Crawford County during deer season. Also a traveling station will circulate throughout the county. Watch for it, it will be a bright red panel Ford truck, and will be ready for service at all times.

Grayling American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps and several members of the Legion Auxiliary attended the 10th district meeting in Coleman.

A crew of workers are busily engaged in laying the new floor of the high school gymnasium. When the job is completed Grayling can be proud of this

Cream Cheese Clouds

MIX sugar and cinnamon in shallow dish. Dip cream cheese cubes in melted butter, then roll in the cinnamon

sugar. Place 1 cheese cube in center of each dough circle; gather up sides of dough to enclose filling. Press

edges of dough together to seal. Place, seam sides up, in lightly greased muffin pan. Drizzle with any remain-

PREHEAT oven to 350°F. Separate dough into 12 biscuits; press or roll each to 1/4-inch thickness.

new addition to their school.

Gaylord Hospital has closed its doors. Patients remaining in the hospital were transferred to Grayling Mercy Hospital.

Michigan's one-buck law will have been in effect 16 years during the coming open deer hunting season.

Fire that caught in a wall from an overheated stove did considerable damage to the Trudeau house and furnishings on Chestnut Street, occupied by the Ray Kellogg family.

It may be surprising to outsiders that Sunday morning was the first time this season that the ground was completely covered with snow.

92 Years Ago November 13, 1913

Dr. Claude Keyport, is seriously ill at his home with scarlet fever. He contracted the disease from a patient or patients he was attending in Waters.

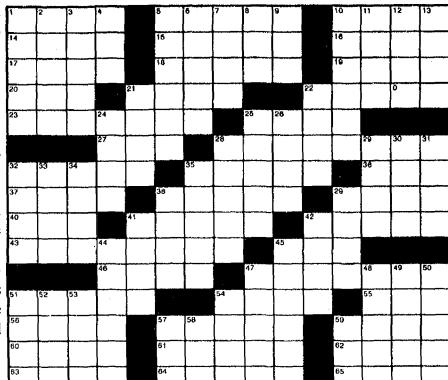
R. Hanson and Sons are making some improvements in the yards at T-Town by installing additional electric lights on the tramways. The sawmill and mill yard are running night and day.

The village has completed about one half mile or more of stone road leading from the old bridge toward the flooring facatory and connecting with the new township road on the south side. One good feature about this piece of work is the small cost of construction, as it was built for 40. Single unit. less than \$500.

1 pkg. (8 oz.) Cream Cheese, cut

1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter, melted

into 12 cubes



Down

3. Supports.

1. Moderately warm.

2. Exorbitant rate of interest.

4. Northern diving sea bird.

6. Temporary cessation of breathing.

5. Give access to again.

7. Cheap lodging house.

9. Soak flax in water.

12. Pierce with beak.

24. Impertinent; saucy.

10. 10-dollar bill.

Lyric poems.

13. Black as ink.

22. Level: flat.

25. Horned.

28. Rents.

30. Cella.

26. Bird class

29. Jot; whit.

31. 15,432 grains.

35. Kept intact.

41. Opulent.

38. Ponder intently.

39. Fraud or hoax.

32. Smoke plus fog.

33. Ice cream holder.

34. Metal-bearing rocks.

42. Refer to an example.

44. Reptile with a shell.

45. Ancient Roman god of fire.

21. Soon.

8. George _, U.S. humorist.

 Ancient Roman trumpet. 5. System of location using radio waves.

10. Lightweight pith helmet

14. Jacob's twin brother. 15. Archilochus' poetic invention.

16. Barbara _, U.S. actress.

17. Mischievous spirit

19. Strait.

18. Beginning of.

20. Exasperate. 21. Imitates.

22. Exalt.

23. Labored breathing.

25. Bestowed.

27. Two or more eras 28. Lingering about.

32. Open disdain. 35. Seductive; tempting.

36. Boat paddle. 37. Three-year-old salmon.

38. Peels. 39. Portico.

41. Cherished.

42. Gorge. 43. Hand movements,

45. By way of. 46. Not new.

47. Nut kernel 51. Gold, frankincense and _.

54. Character part. 55. Popular Jamaican dance music.

56. Fail to do.

57. Impassive.

59. Enlarges.

61. Capital of Tibet.

62. Matted fabric. 63. Oak or beech.

64. Country in southern Arabia. 65. Flat, shallow container.

47. Loud, harsh sounds. 48. Serpentine ridge.

49. Pack leader

50. Savory. 51. Lucretia _, U.S. social reformer.

52. Norse giant god.

53. Roil.

54. Wander; rove.

57. Clever. 58. Definite article.

59. Immature newt.

ANSWERS IN THE CLASSIFIEDS

Older dogs are often overlooked for adoption even though they make wonderful pets!

That's why the ASPCA has named November "Adopt-A-Senior-Dog-Month." Zigmund came to the shelter over a month ago and is a calm, loving older chocolate

Labrador. He has a bit of white in his muzzle, but is by no means too old to find a new, loving home. He seems to only want to be with people and be loved. Zigmund is neutered and up to date on his shots. Adoption Fee: \$150. For information on any of our pets that are up for adoption, please visit our website at:

Dog Opoly and other games (\$25) are on sale at The Copy Shop. All pro-

The 2006 Pet and Dog Calendars are now on sale at the Avalanche, The

Copy Shop and the shelter. Cost: A donation of \$5 for each, all proceeds

Donations can be made by sending a check or money order to: Animal Shelter of Crawford County, P.O. Box 384, Grayling, MI 49738.

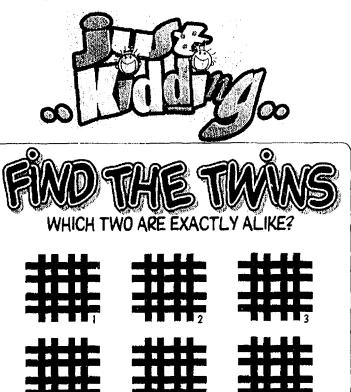
The Animal Shelter of Crawford County is located at:

508 1/2 Huron Street (M-72 East) in Grayling

Between the Road Commission and the Engles Hall

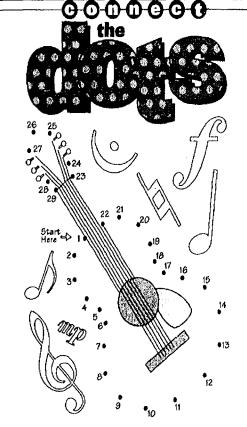
Hours: Open 9 to 3 Monday thru Saturday, 9 to 12 on Sundays and Holidays

After hour appointments available. Call (989) 348-4117



DID YOU KNOW ??

Armistice Day officially became a holiday in the United States in 1926, and a national holiday 12 years later. On June 1, 1954, the name was changed to Veterans Day to honor all U.S. Veterans.



(B)(B)(B)(B)(B)(B)(B) For the Week of November 10, 2005



January 19

you the lead on a special project. So out to lunch to celebrate. Then sit down, make a list December 22- get busy

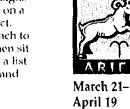
or prepare to suffer

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matter right away.



Requests come at you from all directions. .carn to say no. You won't regret it. An elderly friend could ase some cheering up.

develop your abilities

to their full potential.

Take steps to improve

your skills and hone



You are plagued with fatigue. Make an appointment with your doctor and find out if it's due to a physical problem. A romantic dilemma is resolved.

Car troubles push

you have the funds,

consider buying a

new one; if not, do

little research and

find a good mechanic.



for a friend who experiences a loss. A special occasion thought and





iore peaceful than t has been for quite some time. Enjoy it---someone from the past is about to shake things up.

Your home life is

November 21

Be firm and tell them that while prefer that they

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Showers

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March 20

Uh-oh, Trouble is

lurking at home. Prepare yourself for the worst. A friend makes a proposal too good to pass up. February 19-

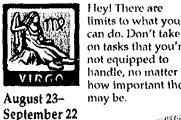


April 20-

May 20

June 21

The success you've had this week is not a fluke. You have finally found your niche and will continue to do good



July 23-

August 22

can do. Don't take on tasks that you're not equipped to handle, no matter how important they may be.



November 22- focus on their own

Thursday A friend meddles in your life again. High 42 you appreciate their Low interest, you would 🖟 26 December 21 problems. Few Snow Partly Sunny T-Showers Showers Cloudy Cloudy

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specially in the interior. 9' bedroom bungalow home with Deeded s, large family room with tag pine, not Easement to the Manistee River. Nice Losings, large family room wint tag prine, not used gos free stonding wood stove, ceramic floors. A counters in the specious kitchen, pergo floors in the formal dining room, John room and wolk-in closes. Blacktop circle Aire appliances, lots of original charm to this lovely home. Must take a four to truly appreciate. D8B-2145 \$94,900

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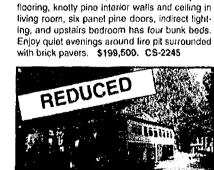
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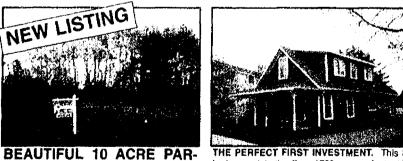
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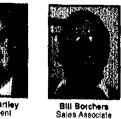


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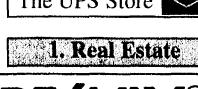
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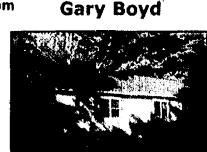




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8. Announcements

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8. Announcements

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The deadline for all display ads is 5 pm Thursday, Nov. 17, to be considered for the Nov. 24th issue. Community

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The Avalanche will be closed Thursday,

be turned in by noon, Monday, Nov. 21.

Nov. 24, in observance of the

will receive the issue before the Thanksgiving holiday.

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1992 SKI DOO Liquid Safari GLX, 1,900 miles, \$1300. 1980 Ski Doo Citation, twin cylinder \$500. 989-348-4358. (-3-10/5)

9. Personals

SFC Jeff Golnick

We are proud of you and what you are doing. Thank you for choosing to serve our country. We salute you. Thinking of you on Veteran's Day. Love ya lots, Angie, Jessica & Mollie

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HOT TUB FOR SALE 4 person, less than 1 year old Permawood exterior (no maintenance). Can't use, allergic to chlorine. \$2800. 348-2532 after 4 p.m. (-10-17/5)

9. Personals

Congratulations Paige Lobsinger on making the Honor Roll [I'm very proud of YOU! Love Mom

Spc Timothy Wildfong

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TOY POODLES parents are red. 3 males, 1 female, 7 weeks Asking \$550/female, \$500/males. 989-390-9130. (-10/5)

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FOR SALE Little Gem Camper, 8 x 24, storage on back, lights, electric and propane. Stove, refrigerator, furnace, porti-pot, fan, everything works. Newer tires, duel axle, \$1000. 732-4247. (-10/5)

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6. Wanted

WANTED-SCRAP VEHI-CLES top dollar paid. Pick up 888-471-3818. available. (3/3/05tf/6)

11. Automotive

WANTED TO BUY Barry Sanders football cards for my 989-348-7348. collection. (LR12/01/05/6)

WANTED If anyone has photos of the GHS display case containing the wooden Viking sculpture, please contact Rick Lonendyke at

7. Miscellaneous

348-5451. (-10/6)

CUDDLY LONG HAIR gold, female kitten, is free to a loving family. 348-2473, (-10/7)

8. Announcements

NOW BOOKING DEER HUNTS for 2005 season, archery and rifle. 4000+ acres, private land. Food, lodging and complete guide services included. Contact Ben at Northwoods Hunting Services, 989-390-0445. www.northwoodshunting.net (-27-3-20/8)

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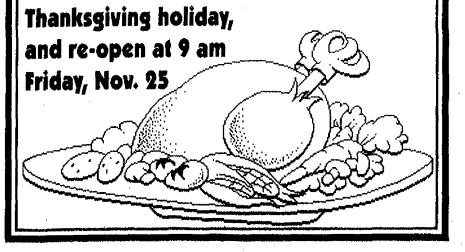
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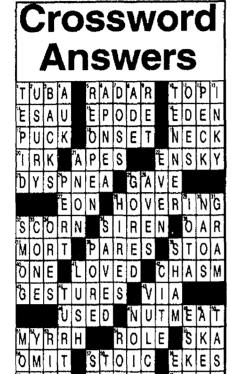
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Beautiful unit Leather, power sunroof, all the goodies! Stock #2108812 USED TO BE \$12,988 BLOWOUT PRICE \$10,988 2000 JEEP WRANGLER - 4X4 Hardtop, 6 cyl., auto, air, cruisel Really holl Stock #5431 USED TO BE \$16,988 BLOWOUT PRICE \$14,988

Sweet tooded, leather, the works! Low miles! Stock #2135571 USED TO BE \$13,988 BLOWOUT PRICE \$11,988

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